Prof Dr Shujaul Mulk Khan

Professor (Tenured) of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan
Member Pakistan Academy of Sciences

President, International Society of Ethnobiology

Visiting Faculty of UNISG, Italy & Pavlodar Kazakhstan Visiting Scientist at various Universities of the Repiublic of Kazakhstan

HEC approved supervisor

PhD & Post Doctorate - University of Leicester, United Kingdom

https://www.qau.edu.pk/profile.php?id=804024

https://www.paspk.org/members-of-the-academy/

https://www.ethnobiology.net/about/current-ise-board/#President

https://www.unisa.it/en/visiting-professors/

http://sc.hec.gov.pk/aphds/submit.asp?supid=5846

http://www2.le.ac.uk/departments/biology/people/harper/people/khan

http://scholar.google.com/citations?user=SOyrU_AAAAAJ&hl=en

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https://ethnobiomed.biomedcentral.com/about/editorial-board

A smart team leader and elegant group member who can serve under any sort of competitive environment

Personal data

•	Father's Name	Aurang Zeb
4	Year of Birth	1980

Place of Birth/Domicile Tehsil Matta, District Swat, Pakistan

♣ Nationality Pakistani

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 Village Shandal, P/O Gat, Tehsil Matta, District Swat - 19040, Pakistan
 Office/ Postal address
 Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan

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Academic qualification

Post Doctorate (Biogeography)	2013	University of Leicester, UK (Invite	ed to write a review for Annals of Botany)
PhD (Ecology & Conservation)	2012	University of Leicester, UK	(Nominee for the best thesis award)
MPhil (Botany)	2008	Hazara University Mansehra, Pakis	stan $(1^{st} division/1^{st} Position)$
MSc (Botany)	2004	University of Peshawar, Pakistan	$(1^{st} division/1^{st} Position/Distinction)$
BEd (Bio-Chem. Group)	2005	AIOU Islamabad, Pakistan	$(1^{st} division)$
BSc (Biosciences)	2001	University of Peshawar, Pakistan	(1 st division/1 st Position Distinction)
CT (Training)	2005	PITE Peshawar Pakistan	$(1^{st} division/1^{st} Position)$
FSc (Pre-Medical)	1999	BISE Swat, Pakistan	$(1^{st} division)$
SSC (Science)	1996	BISE Swat, Pakistan	$(1^{st} division/1^{st} Position)$

Additional computer literacy

Statistical Software

SPSS, STATISTICA, CANOCO, PCORD, SAM, DECORANA, TWINSPAN, JUICE, GIS,

R Studio,

Others Ref Works, End Note, MS Word for Long Document, Excel-Stat, MS Excel for large data

matrices, MS PowerPoint for posters and conferences, CANVA,

International and National Awards

- Won the COMSTECH Best Paper Award in Biology 2023; a Medal, a Certificate and cash prize worth US \$. 2500/- (February 2023).
- Received 1st Quaid-i-Azam University Best Performance Award and Certificate of Appreciation (December 12th, 2023).

- 3. Elected as President, International Society of Ethnobiology for the duration of 4 years i.e., 2022 January, 2026.
- 4. Elected as Member of Pakistan Academy of Sciences for the duration of 10 years i.e., January, 2020 January, 2030.
- 5. Achieved Outstanding Scientist Award & certificate in the "11th International Scientist Awards on Engineering, Science and Medicine" VDGOODS Kolkata (October 2020).
- 6. Achieved 7th HEC Outstanding Research Award, for Best Paper of the year 2017-18, Rs. 70,000/- plus, medal & a certificate (August 7th, 2019).
- 7. Achieved QAU Research Productivity Award, for top 3% researcher in the years, 2019 & 2020 including Rs. 100,000/- plus a letter of Appreciation (April 2021).
- 8. Membership of PAS was featured in the PAS Newsletter (January 2020). https://www.paspk.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/January-2020-Newsletter.pdf
- 9. Achieved QAU Research Productivity Award, for best researcher in the years, 2018 & 2019 including Rs. 100,000/- plus a letter of Appreciation (August 2020).
- 10. Listed in **top 50 young researchers** (under 40 years of age) of Pakistan in the category of Biological Sciences, Productive Scientists of Pakistan (PSP) by Pakistan Council of Science and Technology (PCST) in the year 2017 & 2018.
- 11. Achieved Excellent Scholar Award worth 8000 RMB (China Yuan) in the 19th International Botanical Congress (the IBC 2017), held at Schenzhen, China (July 23rd to July 29th, 2017)
- 12. PhD Thesis was considered for *first prize* in the Biological Science, University of Leicester, UK for the year 2012.
- 13. Acquired "Merit Certificate" for securing 1st position in MSc Botany, 2004.
- 14. Acquired "Best Poet Certificate student category" in the Jahanzeb College Saidu Sharif Swat, Pakistan, during MSc in 2003.
- 15. Acquired "Quaid-e-Azam award and certificate" for securing 1st Position in B. Sc., 2001.

Other Achievements

- 1. I have been selected member of the Board of Governors (total No.=6) for ISGSS International Society of the Gastronomic Science and Studies.
- 2. I have been invited for expert opinions on problems related to plantation, climate change and education by numbers of TV and Radio programs since 2018 to date.
- 3. Participations in the 12th International Food Event (Terra Madre del Gustu) held at Turin Italy, was featured in the HEC Pakistan's magazine 'NEWS & VIEWS' page 36, September-October issue, 2018.
- 4. Participations in the 19th International Botanical Congress (the IBC 2017) held at Schenzhen China was featured in the HEC Pakistan's magazine 'NEWS & VIEWS' page 07, July-August issue, 2017.
- 5. Listed in the **top 50 Productive Scientists of Pakistan (PSP)** (young researchers under the age of 40), in the category of Biological Sciences, by Pakistan Council of Science and Technology (PCST) in the years 2016 & 2017.
- 6. **Pioneer General Secretary** of 'Society of Conservation Biology for Pakistan', 2014-19.
- 7. Participation in two consecutive conferences in November 2013 at Antalya Turkey was attributed in the HEC Pakistan's magazine 'NEWS & VIEWS' page 16, December issue, 2013.
- 8. Participations in Plants Survey of Britain as BSBI member were highlighted by Botanical Society of Britain & Ireland (BSBI), 2012. http://bsbipublicity.blogspot.co.uk/2014/03/hackfall-wood-image-k.html
- 9. News of best PhD thesis and overall performance in PhD was featured in the HEC Pakistan's magazine 'NEWS & VIEWS' page 13, July issue, 2012.
- 10. Participations in international conferences at Holland and Norvey were featured in the HEC Pakistan's magazine 'NEWS & VIEWS' page 13, December issue, 2011.
- 11. PhD research activities were featured in the HEC Pakistan's magazine 'NEWS & VIEWS', page 09, August, 2011 issue.
- 12. Got *first position* and distinction as a *first MPhil Student* of Hazara University Mansehra, Pakistan, 2008.
- 13. Throughout *first division* in academic carrier, 1987-2012.
- 14. Topper of KP province in Classic Teacher training, 2005.
- 15. Got first position in S.S.C. (Metric Exam), 1996.

Higher education institutions level experience

❖ Tenured Professor of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan, August 07, 2024 to-date.

- ❖ Associate Professor (Tenured), Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan, June 29, 2020 to August 07, 2024.
- Visiting Scientist to teach and train the researchers (Faculty & Students) in the Pavlodar Pedagogical University named after Alkai Margulan, Pavlodar, Kazakhstan September 05 26, 2024.
- ❖ Visiting Scientist to teach and train the researchers (Faculty & Students) in the **Pavlodar Pedagogical** University named after Alkai Margulan, Pavlodar, Kazakhstan September 01 30, 2023.
- ❖ Visiting Scientist to teach and train the researchers in the **Toraighyrov University Pavlodar**, **Kazakhstan** November 20, 2022 to December 20, 2022.
- ❖ Assistant Professor of Plant Sciences, **Department of Plant Sciences**, **Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad**, **Pakistan**, May 26, 2015 − June 27, 2020.
- Lecturer in Botany, Department of Botany, Hazara University Mansehra, Pakistan, May 4, 2006 May 26, 2015.
- Adjunct/Visiting Faculty member for the course of Master in "Food Culture and Communications: Human Ecology and Sustainability" University of Gastronomic Sciences Pollanzo, Bra Italy, June 2014 to date.
- ❖ Post Doctorate Fellow, Centre for Landscape and Climate Research, Department of Geography University of Leicester, UK, May, 2012 February, 2013.
- ❖ Practical Demonstrator, Department of Biology, University of Leicester, UK, October, 2008 August, 2012.
- ❖ Invigilator examinations, **University of Leicester**, **UK**, October, 2009 August, 2012.
- **❖** Lecturer in Biology, **Government Degree College Totalai**, **District Buner Pakistan**, and October 1, 2005 May 03, 2006.
- ❖ Lecturer in Botany, Swat Rubicon Degree College Gulibagh, District Swat, Pakistan, October 8, 2003 September 30, 2005.

Research Grants/Projects

- ✓ Research project titled "Wild Edible Mushroom of Murree forest their potential as a rich source of protein, domestication, in-situ conservation and ex-situ cultivation potentials" worth Rs. 0.830/- millions has been initiated as Principal Investigator in the year 2024-2025 (1 year) via the Pakistan Academy of Sciences (Ref. No. 5-9/PAS/1392/PC-1).
- ✓ International Research project titled "Ecological and molecular assessments of the prioritized endemic plants in the Himalaya" worth Rs. 8.7820/- millions has been approved as Principal Investigator in the year 2022-2024 (2 years) via jointly by the Pakistan Science Foundation and National Natural Science Foundation China (PSF-NSFC/JSEP/262/2022-2023).
- ✓ Research project titled "The Marble wastewater treatment through Bioremediation; an environmental friendly approach to modern world water issues" worth Rs. 0.81430/- millions has been initiated as Principal Investigator in the year 2022-2024 (2 years) via the Pakistan Academy of Sciences (Ref. No. 59/PAS/2383).
- ✓ Research project titled "Linking forest diversity, structure and functions along climate and soil conditions across Pakistan" worth Rs. 0.50/- millions has been initiated as Principal Investigator in the year 2022-2024 (2 years) via the WWF Small Grants Program Pakistan.
- ✓ Research project titled "Identification of potential ecological zone for introduction of suitable Grape (Vitis vinifera L.) varieties; a step towards poverty alleviation and sustainable development in the FATA region of Pakistan" worth Rs. 4.889 million has been completed as Principal Investigator in the year 2019-2021 via the ALP program of PARC (F. NO. 2-38/2018/(ALP)-PARC (P)).
- ✓ Research project titled "Community Studies of Nannorrhops ritchiana (Mazri Plant) in Sheikh Baddin National Park with special focus on its Quantitative Attributes" worth Rs. 70000/- has been completed as Principal Investigator in the year 2021-2022 via the National Parks Khyber Pakhtunkhwa program.
- ✓ Research project titled "Comparative studies of Phyto-diversity within and around the Ayubia National Park with reference to species conservation" worth Rs. 70000/- has been completed as Principal Investigator in the year 2020-2021 via the National Parks Khyber Pakhtunkhwa program.
- ✓ Research project titled "Conservation Ecological and studies of medicinal plants of Chitral Gol National Park (CGNP), Pakistan" worth Rs. 70000/- has been completed as Principal Investigator in the year 2018-2019 via the National Parks Khyber Pakhtunkhwa program.
- ✓ Research project titled "Effect of natural gas emitted pollution on ecological, anatomical and biochemical characteristics of local vegetation growing around Nashpa Gas Plant in District Karak

- *Pakistan*" worth Rs. 120000/- has been completed as Principal Investigator in the year 2016-2017 under the URF program of QAU.
- ✓ Research project titled "Ecological studies of weed species of wheat with reference to edaphic factors in the District Malakand" worth Rs. 80000/- has been completed as Principal Investigator in the year 2015-2016 under the URF program of QAU (Principle Investigator).

Academic/Travel grants

- 1. Achieved a partial *Travel Grant (PAS/5-9/PAS/PC-I/1460 worth Rs. 240,000/-* from Pakistan Academy of Sciences to attend 18th Congress of International Society of Ethnobiology (ISE), at Marrakech, Morocco (May 15th to 19th, 2024).
- 2. Achieved a partial *Travel Grant worth US\$ 1832/-* from Global Diversity Foundation to attend Precongress of International Society of Ethnobiology (ISE) "Mentoring the Emerging Ethnobiologists", at Zarkten, Morocco (May 11th to 14th, 2024).
- 3. Achieved a *Travel Grant (PSF/P&D/TG-PSDP(30)/23) worth Rs. 350,000/-* from Pakistan Science Foundation to attend 5th Mustafa Award Ceremony and Science Technology Exchange Program (STEMP), at Isfahan Iran (September 30th to October 5th, 2023).
- 4. Achieved a *Travel Grant/honorarium (Kazakhstan ministry of Science and Technology) worth Kazakh Tenge. 1840000/-* as a visiting Scientist to Pedogogical University Pavlodar, Kazakhstan (September 1st to September 30th, 2023).
- 5. Achieved a *Travel Grant/honorarium (Kazakhstan ministry of Science and Technology) worth Kazakh Tenge. 1900000/-* as a visiting Scientist to Toraighyrov University Pavlodar, Kazakhstan (November 20th to December 20th, 2022).
- 6. Achieved a *Travel Grant (Slow Food Association) worth Euro*. *2500/-* to attend 14th International Food Congress and Exhibition, Italy (September 21st to September 27th, 2022).
- 7. Achieved a full sponsorship from the International Office of the Kazan University Tatrastan Russia, to attend the International science and Research Conference "Historical, cultural and scientific heritage; Development of UNESCO World Heritage Sites in the Republic of Tatarstan" (December 03-05, 2019), at Kazan Tatarstan, Russia.
- 8. Achieved a *Travel Grant (PSF/P&D/TG-ND (303)/18) worth Rs. 175000/-* from Pakistan Science Foundation to attend 12th International Food Congress and Exhibition, Italy (September 19th to September 25th, 2018).
- 9. Secured a *Travel Grant (No.295.82/TG/HEC/R&D/2013/26248) worth Rs. 277400/-* from Higher Education Commission Pakistan to attend 5th international conference of the Society for Conservation Biology (SCB) Oceania section at Willington, New Zealand (July 2nd to July 6th, 2018).
- 10. Secured a **Travel Grant worth Rs. 30000/- from Malaysian Academy of Science** to attend Regional Conference of ASM & NASEM as Invited Speaker "To promote Safe and Secure Science in the Middle East/North Africa and South/South east Asia" (February 5 − 9, 2018) at the Sunway University Kuala Lumpur Malaysia.
- 11. Achieved a *Travel Grant (PSF/P&D/TG-ND (94)/17) worth Rs. 173650/-* from Pakistan Science Foundation to attend 19th International Botanical Congress (IBC 2017), at Shenzhen, China (July 23rd to July 29th, 2017).
- 12. Achieved a *Travel Grant (PSF/P&D/TG-II (1105)/14) worth Rs. 139500/-* from Pakistan Science Foundation to attend 3rd International Symposium on Biology of Rare and Endemic Plant Species (BIORARE-2014) at Antalya, Turkey (April 19th to April 23rd, 2014).
- 13. Achieved a *Travel Grant (No.186.60/TG/HEC/R&D/2013/864) worth Rs. 179500/-* from Pakistan Science Foundation to attend 11th International Ethnobotany Symposium 2013 at Antalya, Turkey (November 1st to November 6th, 2013).
- 14. Achieved a *Travel Grant (No.183.33/TG/HEC/R&D/2013/572) worth Rs. 232750/-* from Higher Education Commission Pakistan to attend international conference INTECOL 2013 at London, UK (August 18th to August 23rd, 2013).
- 15. Achieved a *Travel Grant worth £ 750/-* from British Ecological Society to attend international conference INTECOL 2013 at London, UK (2013).
- 16. Achieved University of Leicester *Post Doctorate Fellowship worth £ 1000/- per month* (June 1st 2012 to January 31st, 2013) from Centre for Landscape and Climate Research, University of Leicester (2012).
- 17. Granted with a *Scholarship worth £ 65,000/-* by HEC Pakistan for PhD studies from University of Leicester, UK (2008-2012).

Administrative experience

- o Director Career Counselling, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad 2024 to date.
- Member National Curriculum Review Committee, NCRC Environmental Sciences HEC Pakistan, 2023 – todate
- Member DTRC, Government College Women University Sialkot, Pakistan 2023 todate
- o Member (Elected), Academic Council Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan, 2023-2024.
- o Senior Warden Boys Hostels, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan, 2023.
- o Member of Selection Board (Subject Expert Bio-Sciences), Mirpur University of Sciences and Technology (MUST), Kashmir, 2022 todate.
- Member Board of Faculty of Biological and Health Sciences, Hazara University Mansehra, Pakistan, March, 2022 to date.
- Member of the Oversight Committee under the project **Green Youth Movement** Prime Minister Youth Program at HEC Islamabad, Pakistan, November, 2021 to date.
- Subject Expert, Scrutiny and Quantification Committee, Department of Plant Breeding & Genetics, The University of Haripur, Pakistan, August 2021 to date.
- Member of Selection Board (Subject Expert Bio-Sciences), Khushal Khan Khattak University Karak,
 Pakistan, 2016 2022.
- Subject Expert Bio-Sciences, Federal Public Service Commission, Islamabad, Pakistan, 2021 to date.
- o Appointed member of the Board of Faculty, **Faculty of Biological Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan,** for the duration of three years (w.e.f. 02/06/2016 to 01/06/2019).
- o Appointed member of the Board of Studies, **Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan,** for the duration of three years (w.e.f. 02/06/2016 to 01/06/2019).
- o Member Executive Council, Academic Staff Association, (**Representative of the Department of Plant Sciences**) Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan, January, 2019 to date.
- o Member Departmental Disciplinary Committee, **Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan,** January, 2019 to date.
- o In-Charge Student affairs, **Department of Plant Sciences**, **Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad**, **Pakistan**, January, 2019 February, 2020.
- Member Career Counselling and Placement System Committee, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaidi-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan, December, 2016 to January 2020.
- o In-Charge Departmental Library, **Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan,** September 2017 to February 2018.
- o Course Coordinator, **Department of Plant Sciences**, **Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad**, **Pakistan**, January 2016 to September 2017.
- Member of the Admission Committees for MSc, MPhil & PhD, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaidi-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan, August 2015 to Date.
- Member of the Board of Studies, **Department of Botany**, **Hazara University Mansehra**, **Pakistan**, August 2012 May 2015.
- Member of the Academic Committee, **Department of Botany**, **Hazara University Mansehra**, **Pakistan**, August 2012 May 2015.
- Member of the Evaluation Committee of Faculty on Tenured Tract System (TTS), Department of Botany, Hazara University Mansehra, Pakistan, August 2012 – May 2015.
- o Member of the Seminar & Conferences Committee, **Department of Botany**, **Hazara University Mansehra**, **Pakistan**, August 2012 May 2015.
- o In charge of the Environmental Club, **Department of Botany**, **Hazara University Mansehra**, **Pakistan**, August 2012 May 2015.
- O Departmental Controller Examination, **Department of Botany and Department of Genetics, Hazara University Mansehra**, **Pakistan**, May 4, 2006 October 9, 2008.
- o Member Proctorial Board, **Hazara University Mansehra**, **Pakistan**, May 4, 2006 October 9, 2008.
- o Faculty Proctor **Hazara University Mansehra**, **Pakistan**, January 2006 March, 2008.

Memorandums of Understandings

- ✓ MoU between QAU and Pavlodar Pedagogical University, Qazaqstan signed in September 2023.
- ✓ MoU between QAU and Astana International University, Qazaqstan signed in December 2022.

- ✓ MoU between QAU and Astana Botanical Garden Nursultan, Qazaqstan signed in December 2022.
- ✓ MoU between QAU and Toraighyrov University Pavlodar, Qazaqstan signed in December 2022.
- ✓ MoU between QAU and Society for Environment and Mangroves Protection signed in March 2023, where the society initiated to donate 15000 fruit plants to QAU.
- ✓ MoU between QAU Botanical Garden and Astana Botanical Garden, Qazaqstan signed in January 2023.

Research experience and Titles covered during Post Doctorate, PhD, MPhil and MSc

- ❖ Completion of Research Project "Developing Conservation criteria for the Plant Biodiversity in Montane Ecosystems; using the Western Himalayas as a case study", 2013 (Post Doctorate fellowship).
- ❖ Completion of Research Project on "Plant Communities and Vegetation Ecosystem Services in the Naran Valley, Western Himalayas", 2012 (PhD Thesis).
- ❖ Completion community participation project with NGO 'ASHAR' on "Ethnobotanical Study of Upper Siran Valley, District Mansehra, Pakistan", 2007 − 2008 (Resulted a journal paper).
- ❖ Completion of Research Project on "Genetic Diversity Analyses of Pakistani Peas Germplasm through RAPD Markers", 2008 (MPhil Thesis).
- ❖ Completion of Research Project on "Ethno-medicinal Plants of Shawar Valley District Swat Pakistan", 2004 (MSc Thesis).

Courses developed/designed at postgraduate level

- **Vegetation Dynamics;** PhD/MPhil, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan, 2018.
- **↓** Vegetation Analyses; PhD/MPhil, Department of Botany, Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2013.
- **Ecological Communities;** PhD/MPhil, Department of Botany, Genetics & Zoology, Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2012.

taught at graduate and postgraduate levels

- *Vegetation Dynamics*; PhD/MPhil, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan, 2018 to-date.
- *Advances in Applied Ecology;* PhD/MPhil, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan, 2015 to-date.
- *Phytogeography;* PhD/MPhil, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan, 2015 to-date.
- *Plant Ecology I & II*; BS, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan, 2018 to date.
- Pakistan, 2015 to 2021. *Lab-III*; MSc/BS, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan, 2015-2020.
- Edaphology & Soil Biology; MSc/BS, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad
- Plant Ecology; MSc, Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan, 2015 –
 2020
- Vegetation Analyses; PhD/MPhil, Department of Botany, Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2013 2015.
- *Ecological Communities*; PhD/MPhil, Department of Botany, Genetics & Zoology, Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2012 2015.
- *Plant Ecology*; MSc/BS, Department of Botany Hazara, University Mansehra Pakistan, 2006 2015.
- Conservation Genetics; MSc/BS, Department of Genetics, Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2013 2015.
- *Plant Taxonomy*; Practical demonstration to BS, students at Department of Biology, University of Leicester, UK, October 2008 August 2012.
- Plant Physiology; Practical demonstration to MS, students at Department of Biology, University of Leicester, UK, October 2009 - 2011.
- Plant systematic; MSc, Department of Botany Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2008.
- *Morphology of Vascular Plants*; BS (Hons), Department of Botany Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2008.

- Plant Physiology and Ecology; BS (Hons), Department of Botany Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2008.
- Research Methodology; BS (Hons), Department of Botany Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2008.
- Basic Botany; BS (Hons), Department of Genetics Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2008.
- Mycology & Plant Pathology; MSc, Department of Botany Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2006 2008.
- *Phycology & Bryology*; MSc, Department of Botany Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2006 2008.
- Diversity of Vascular Plants; MSc, Department of Botany Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2006 2008.
- Environmental Biology; MSc, Department of Botany Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan, 2006 -2008.
- *Cell Biology*; BS (Hons), Department of Biochemistry Hazara University Mansehra, 2006 2007.
- *Botany*, *Zoology and Geography* (BSc), Swat Rubican College Gulibagh, Swat and Government Degree College Totale, District Bunir, 2003 2006.
- *Biology*, (FSc Level), Swat Rubican College Gulibagh, Swat and Government Degree College Totale, District Bunir, 2003 2006.

Students' supervision

S.	ents' supervision Name	Title of the thesis/dissertation	Session
No	1,4422	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	2 0 5 5 1 0 1 1
Stude	ents supervised - PhD		1
1.	Ujala Ejaz	Ecological assessment of vegetation dynamics of the Aik stream with reference to the Industrial Pollution in Sialkot, Pakistan	2020-2024
2.	Shahab Ali	Linking Forest Diversity, Structure and Functions along the Climate and Soil Conditions across Pakistan	2019-2024
3.	Abdullah	Ecology, Socioeconomics, Ethnobotany, Seed's dormancy and the Mazri Palm {Nannorrhops ritchieana (Griff.) Aitch.}; an appraisal from Khyber-Pakhtunkhwa Pakistan	2019-2023
4.	Hazrat Ali	Ecological assessment of vegetation and indigenous uses of plant resources in District Malakand Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	2018-2023
5.	Zeeshan Ahmad	A holistic approach to bring sustainability and resilience in Plant and Microbe populations in the marble waste polluted ecosystem of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan	2019-2022
6.	Amjad ur Rehman	Ecological and Geoinformatics Evaluation of Vegetation Dynamics in the Murree Forrests; a step towards Biodiversity Conservation	2016-2021
7.	Muhammad Iqbal	Distribution of Weeds in Wheat crops with Reference to Farming System Analysis of Malakand District	2014-2020
8.	Zulfiqar	Conservation issues and restoration strategies of Japanese Oak in the Himalayan region of Pakistan	2013-2019
9.	Zaheer Abbas	Plant Diversity, Species Distribution Pattern and Ecosystem Services of the Shigar Valley Karakorum	2013-2018
10.	Waqas Khan	Evaluation of Plant Diversity of Thandiani Sub Forest Division, District Abbottabad; A step towards conservation management	2012-2017
11.	Azhar Mehmood	Assessment of Floristic Diversity along Environmental Gradients in the District Tor Ghar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan	2011-2016
12.	Abbas Shah	Assessment of Cultural Drivers of Plant Biodiversity of District Tor Ghar, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan	2011-2015
Stude	ents under supervision	- PhD	
13.	Sadia Jehangir	Ecological assessment, distribution pattern, range expansion of noxious invasive species and their impact on the associated flora along the elevation gradient in Azad Kashmir, Pakistan	2020-2024
14.	Shakil Ahmad Zeb	Ecological studies of macro-fungi with special references to host environment interactions	2022-2025
15.	Qurat Ul Ain	Ecological Assessment of Weeds under the Influence of Climatic, Edaphic, and Farming Dynamics in the Wheat Crop	2022-2025
16.	Nazia Akbar	Ecological assessment of Vegetation structure and plant Diversity	2021-2025

		along environmental gradient in Sudhnoti District of Kashmir	
		Himalyas, Pakistan	
17.	Fazal Manan	Micro-plastics a rapidly Emerging Threat to Human Health	2023-2026
Stude	ents supervised – MPh	il/MS	
1.	Maria Shah	Ecological role of plant nurseries in economically significant species; a case study from Malakand region	2022-2024
2.	Zohaib Jamal	Vegetation assessment and Carbon sequestration potential of the Pai reserved forest, District Shaheed Benazirabad (Nawabshah), Sindh, Pakistan	2022-2024
3.	Tehsin Ullah	Slow food as an identity of Pathans' tradition; a case study from the Districts of Bannu and Lakki Marwat, Pakistan	2022-2024
4.	Waseem Abbas	Distribution and Population Ecology of Seriphidium kurramense (Qazilb.) Y.R.Ling; a narrow Endemic plant of the Kurram Valley, western Pakistan	2022-2024
5.	Muhammad Iqram	Significance of Carbon Sequestration in palatable grasses of Poonch, Azad Jammu and Kashmir.	2022-2024
6.	Huma Gul	Ecological distribution and assessment of mushroom species in the District Swabi, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan	2022-2024
7.	Syeda Azra Israr	Vegetation studies of Mahaban and adjacent hills of the District Swabi with special reference to fire incidence	2021-2023
8.	Aaiza Qamar	Morpho-physiological and biochemical evaluation of pollution affected plants along IJP Road in the twin cities of Pakistan	2021-2023
9.	Amina Shoukat	Evaluation of Carbon sequestration potential in wheat and rice crop of Shakargarh, Punjab, Pakistan	2021-2023
10.	Saira Meher	The role of Mango gardens in Carbon sequestration; a case study from Multan, Pakistan	2021-2023
11.	Nafeesa Hayat	Vegetation Assessment of the Rawat Industrial Zone, Rawalpindi, Pakistan	2021-2023
12.	Ayesha Irshad Khalid	Assessment of Above Ground Carbon Stock in the Tree Vegetation of the Dry Temperate Region along the elevation gradient; A case study from Northern Pakistan	2021-2023
13.	Maham Rana	Ecological Evaluation of Structure and Function of Woody vegetation in the Industrial region of Capital Territory Islamabad Pakistan.	2021-2022
14.	Ateeqa Khalid	Quantitative and Functional Traits Ecology of Herbaceous Vegetation; a case study of I-9 Industrial Zone, Islamabad Pakistan	2021-2022
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Trainings for capacity Development

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- 2. 7th Postgraduate Career Symposium for *Research Postgraduates and Research Staff* organized together by College of Medicine, Biological Sciences & Psychology, at University of Leicester, UK. January 12, 2012
- 3. Midlands' hub vitae event "*Finish up & Move on Course*" organized by six Midland Universities and Imperial College London, at University of Leicester, UK. April 30 May 1st, 2012.
- 4. Training Session for PhD internship scheme with De Montfort & Leicester Universities, UK. April 26, 2012.
- 5. Advanced database searching & bibliographic software: use of ENDNOTE, University of Leicester, UK. March 16, 2010.
- 6. General Presentation Skills, University of Leicester, UK. February 22, 2010.
- 7. Improving MS-PowerPoint presentations, University of Leicester, UK. February 04, 2010.
- 8. Off to a conference? Posters preparation and presentation, University of Leicester, UK. February 02, 2010.
- 9. Training workshop "Presenting Research to Different Audiences" Student Development Zone University of Leicester, UK. March 18, 2011.
- 10. Giving research seminars and conference talks, University of Leicester, UK. January 09, 2010.
- 11. Experimental design & practical statistics, University of Leicester, UK, January 26, 2010.
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- 13. Creativity and Problem Solving Workshop, University of Leicester, UK. December 14, 2009.
- 14. Use of MS Word for Long Documents, University of Leicester, UK. March 11, 2009.
- 15. Advanced Database Searching; Bibliographic software & keeping up to date; use of REFWORKS for Biomedical scientists, University of Leicester, UK. March 10, 2009.

Conferences/Symposia/Workshops/Events organized

- 1. Organized "The International Conference on Sustainable Ecology and Environment" at the National Research University TIIAME, Tashkent Uzbekistan; 15 to 18 October, 2024.
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- 4. Being Vice President of the International Society of Ethnobiology, organized 18th ISE Congress of the ISE "*Biodiversity & Cultural Landscapes: Decolonial, Indigenous and Local Perspectives*" at the Cadi Ayyad University of Marrakech, Morocco; May 15 19, 2024.
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- 6. Organized the International *Symposium on "The Economically important plants of the Himalayas a shared wealth of Pakistan and China"* at Pakistan Academy of Sciences; April 26th, 2024.
- 7. Organized the PAS-QAU Workshop "Ensuring Biosafety: Empowering Trainers in Risk Management and Biosecurity" Bara Gali Campus, University of Peshawar, August 12-14, 2023.
- 8. Arranged as a focal person the **'Plantation Drive'** by Planting 15000 plants, with the Help of Society of Ecology & Mangroves Protection (SEMP) and Stabndard Charderd Bank of Pakistan at the Botanical Garden, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad; 24th February, 2023.
- 9. Organized in Collaboration with GIZ and IPC an International Conference for Parliamentarians National and International on 'Road Safety' at Serena Hotel, Islamabad Pakistan: February 07-09, 2023.
- 10. Organized/Celebrated World Mountains Day at Bayanaul Nationl Park Kazakhstan from the platform of Toraighyrov University Pavlodar, Kazakhstan: December 11^h, 2022.
- 11. Organized/Celebrated World Soil's Day at Toraighyrov University Pavlodar, Kazakhstan jintly organized virtually by QAU Islamabad: December 5th, 2022.
- 12. Being visiting faculty of the UNISG, organized three days "Symposium Toward the International Society for Gastronomic Sciences and Studies" at the UNISG Pollenzo and University of Turin Italy; September 23 25, 2022.
- 13. Organized 9th National Conference on the "*Biodiversity, Climate Change and Carbon Sequestration*" at Baragali Summer Campus, University of Peshawar, Pakistan; June 21 24, 2022.
- 14. Organized one Day Seminar on World Endangered Species Day Celebrations of 2022 "World Endangered Species Day", organized by Department of Plant Sciences, ORIC and Pastic at Quaidi-Azam University Islamabad; May, 20th, 2022.
- 15. Organized one Day Seminar on World Soil Day Celebrations of 2021 "Halt Salinization and Boost Productivity", organized by Department of Plant Sciences, ORIC and Pastic at Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad; December 7th, 2021.
- 16. Fourth International Conference on "*Biosciences (ICBS-2021)*" organized by Department of Plant Sciences Quaid-i-Azam University at PAS Islamabad, Pakistan; June 15th, 2021.
- 17. AASSA-PAS Webinar III / Hybrid Workshop on "How to Counter Infodemics: Role of Scientists & Role of Complementary Medicine in Pandemics" and "Diagnosis, Critical Care; Vaccines and Herd Immunity" May 25, 2021.
- 18. One Week Training on "*R Software & Ecological Modelling*" at Plant Ecology & Conservation Lab. Department of Plant Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad; March 7-12, 2020.
- 19. World Soil Day Celebrations of 2019 with the theme "*Stop Soil Erosion*" at Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan; December 12th, 2019.
- 20. World Soil Day Celebrations of 2018 with the theme "Be the Solution to Soil Pollution" at Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan; December 5th, 2018.
- 21. 7th International and 16th National Conference of PBS on "*Plant Resources: Current Trends, Challenges and Solutions*" at Islamia College University Peshawar Pakistan; March 23-27, 2018.
- 22. 14th international seminar on "Ethno-ecologies in Pakistani Himalaya" in the Gastronomy event "Food in the World Food Ecologies and Sovereignty" at the University of Gastronomic Sciences University of Pollenzo, Bra, Italy; February 19 25, 2018.
- 23. 1st international conference on "*Emerging Trends in Plant Proteomics*" at Department of Plant Sciences Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan; October 1 3, 2017.
- 24. 7th National Conference on the "Biodiversity Conservation, Livelihood and Sustainable Development" at Baragali Summer Campus, University of Peshawar, Pakistan; July 10 12, 2017.

- 25. One day Training Workshop on "Climate Change; Can we make a difference" at Islamia College University Peshawar, Pakistan; May 17th, 2017.
- 26. 6th National Conference on the "*Climate Change and Biodiversity Conservation Issues of Pakistan*". At Baragali Summer Campus, University of Peshawar, Pakistan; June 1 4, 2016.
- 27. Second International Symposium on the "Biodiversity of Pakistan: Prospects and Associated Issues", Baragali Summer Campus University of Peshawar; May 22 24, 2016.
- 28. First International Symposium on "*The Himalayas of Pakistan; Resources and Conservation Issues*", Hazara University, Mansehra; November 27 30, 2014.
- 29. HEC Sponsored Training Course on "Utilization of DNA Technology for Plant Improvement", Department of Genetics, Hazara University, Mansehra; May 22 26, 2007.
- 30. HEC Workshop on "*Teachers Training Course in Plant Taxonomy*", Department of Botany, Hazara University, Mansehra, Pakistan; April 19 24, 2007.
- 31. Workshop on "*Natural and Cultural Resources of Pakistan*", organized by Hazara University Mansehra at Barra Gali Abbottabad (summer campus, University of Peshawar) Pakistan; August 23 25, 2006.

Participation and abstracts publication in the Conferences/Symposia/Workshops as invited speaker

- 1. Khan, S. M., 2024 (As a Key Note Speaker). 'Environmental issues and possible solutions in the scenario of climate changes' in the International Conference on "Emerging Issues of Environmental Degradation, Natural Hazards and Water Security"; Pakistan Academy of Sciences; June 2-4, 2024.
- 2. **Khan, S. M.**, 2024 (Master Trainer and Key Note Speaker) 'Future of ethnobiology' in the Pre-congress of 18th ISE Congress "Train the Emerging Ethnobiologists for Future" at the Zerkten Summer School, Morocco; May 11 14, 2024.
- 3. **Khan, S. M.**, 2024, (as a Key Note Speaker) 'Introducing students to the world of plants and natural Ecosystem' in the International Conference on "Environmental issues and possible solutions in the scenario of climate changes" at Pakistan Academy of Sciences; June 2-4, 2024.
- 4. **Khan, S. M.**, 2024, (as a Guest Speaker) 'Introducing students to the world of plants and natural Ecosystem' in the "The Spring Plantation Campaign 2024" organized by SOS Foundation in Collaboration with Ministry of Federal Education & Professional Training, Federal Directorate of Education, Environment Directorate CDA & Directorate of Career Counselling & GYM QAU Islamabad; March 14, 2024.
- 5. **Khan, S. M.**, 2024 (As a Key Note Speaker). 'Future of Plants in the scenario of Climate Change' in the Xishuangbanna Tropical Botanical Garden (XTBG) of Chinese Academy of Sciences (CAS), January 25th, 2024.
- 6. **Khan, S. M.**, 2023 (As a Key Note Speaker). 'Problems identification and solutions to address the problems of food systems and agriculture in the scenario of Climatic changes' in the 1st international Conference on "Innovations in Biotechnology And Genetic Engineering"; Hazara University Mansehra, Pakistan, November 1st to November 3rd, 2023.
- 7. **Khan S. M.**, 2023 (As a Key Note Speaker). 'Agricultural System in the scenario of Climate Change; identification of problems' in the 4th Three Days International Conference on "Climate Change Water Security and Future of Agriculture in Current Scenario: Suggesting the way Forward for sustainable agricultural Growth"; at the Shah Abdul Latif University Khairpur, Sindh Pakistan, October 24-26, 2023,.
- 8. **Khan, S. M.**, 2023 (As a Key Note Speaker/). 'Climate Change Scenario; Problems Identification and Their Solutions' in "the 5th Mustafa Award Ceremony and parallel 9th Science & Technology Exchange Program (STEP), at Isfahan Iran; September 30th to October 5th, 2023.
- 9. **Khan, S. M.**, 2023 (As a Key Note Speaker/Master Trainer). 'Field work and Plants Collection; Risk Assessment & Management' in "the ANSO-PAS-QAU Workshop Ensuring Biosafety: Empowering Trainers in Risk Management and Biosecurity" Bara Gali Campus, University of Peshawar August 12-14, 2023.
- 10. **Khan, S. M.**, 2023 (As a Plenary/Invited speaker). 'Future of our plantation in the climate change scenario' in "the National Conference on Plant Sciences and Climate change" (August 9 11, 2023) at Shaheed Benazir Bhutto University Sharingal, Dir Upper, Pakistan.
- 11. **Khan, S. M.**, 2023 (As a Plenary/Invited speaker). Climate smart plantation in western borders of Pakistan through promoting grapes cultivation in Pakistan in "2nd International Conference (Hybrid

- mode) on "Recent Approaches in Plant Sciences (RAPS-2023)" (May 4 5, 2023) at University of Education, Lahore, Pakistan.
- 12. Khan, S. M., 2023 (As an invited speaker). Climate Smart Horticulture in Pakistan in the International Horticulture Conference (IHC 2023) on "Sustainable Horticulture: Challenges, Innovations and Adaptations" (February 23 25, 2023) at MNS-University of Agriculture, Multan 6000 Pakistan.
- 13. **Khan, S. M.**, 2023 (As an invited speaker). Future of our plantation in the climate change scenario in the "3rd International Conference on Biological Research and Applied Science IBRAS-2023" (January 17 19, 2023) at Jinnah University for Women, Karachi, Pakistan.
- 14. **Khan, S. M.**, 2022 (As an invited speaker virtually). *Climate change mitigation through Carbon sequestration "1st International Conference on Climate Change ICCC-2022"* (November 28 30, 2022) at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Pakistan.
- 15. **Khan, S. M.**, 2022 (As an inspirational plenary Speaker). *Problems identification and solutions related to food systems in the scenario of climate change "Symposium Toward the International Society for Gastronomic Sciences and Studies"* (September 23 25, 2022) at the UNISG Pollenzo and University of Turin Italy.
- 16. **Khan S. M.,** 2022 (As a Foreign delegate and Representative of Pakistan). In the World's largest event of Food Sciences "14th Edition of Terra Madre del Gusto" arranged by Slow Food Association (SFA). Convened the South & Central Asian Network (SCARN) meeting and prepresented my country at Asia Pacific meeting as well as exhibition (September 21 27, 2022) at Parco Doro, Turin Italy.
- 17. **Khan, S. M.**, 2021 (As an invited Speaker). Assessment of Aboveground Carbon stock in the woody vegetation of the Kirthar Range of Mountain Sindh, Pakistan; a step towards climate change assessment. 3rd International Conference entitled "Climate Change and Traditional Agriculture Pattern in Pakistan: Implications and Solutions" (October 26 28, 2021) at the Shah Abdul Latif University Khairpur, Sindh Pakistan.
- 18. **Khan, S. M.**, 2021 (As an Resource Person). Thesis writing. "A one Day Seminar for College Teachers of Haripur and Hazara Region" (October 16th. 2021) at GPG College Haripur.
- 19. **Khan S. M.,** 2020 (As an Invited Speaker/Visiting Professor/Main Organizer). *Traditional Knowledge and Agro-Biodiversity in Pakistani Himalaya*. The Gastronomy 3 days Online Event/Course "World Food Cultures and Mobility (MOGWFCM)" (June 14 16, 2020) at the University of Gastronomic Sciences, Pollenzo, Bra, Italy (Via Blackboard Collaborate).
- 20. **Khan, S. M.**, 2020 (As an invited Speaker). *Use of Ecological Indicators & Eco-informatics in Community Ecology & Plantation Drives*. One day International Seminar on "Biodiversity, Ecosystem & Functional Traits" (March 13th, 2020) at Pir Mehr Ali Shah (PMAS) Arid Agriculture University Rawalpindi, Pakistan.
- 21. Z. Ahmad., S. M. Khan*, 2020 (As an Invited Speaker). Angiosperms distribution in the marble waste polluted ecosystem and driving microclimatic factors. International Symposium on "Plant Life of South Asia (on the successful completion of Flora of Pakistan Project" at the University of Karachi. February, 24 27, 2020.
- 22. **Khan S. M.,** 2019 (As an Invited Speaker). *Rediscovering the Silk Route a world ancient and lost heritage by understanding the use pattern of natural biodiversity along the Himalayan and Karakorum valleys across this route.* International science and Research Conference "Historical, cultural and scientific heritage; Development of UNESCO World Heritage Sites in the Republic of Tatarstan" (December 03-05, 2019), at Kazan Tatarstan, Russia.
- 23. **Khan S.M.,** 2019 (As an Invited Speaker/Visiting Professor/Main Organizer). *Ethnoecologies in Pakistani Mountains; the Himalayas, Karakorum & Hindu Kush.* The Gastronomy 3 days Event/Course "World Food Cultures and Mobility" (July 07 14, 2019) at the University of Gastronomic Sciences, Pollenzo, Bra, Italy.
- 24. **Khan, S. M.**, and M. Iqbal, 2019 (As an invited Speaker). *Quantification of weed species in wheat crop in the Malakand region of Pakistan*. 9th National Conference on "*Innovative Trends in Wheat: Way Forward to Sustainable Wheat Production*" (February, 12 14, 2019) at College of Agriculture, Sargodha University, Pakistan.
- 25. **Khan, S. M.**, and F. Manan, 2018 (As an invited Speaker). Assessment of conservation issues, status and associated plant species of Parrotiopsis jacquemontiana in the Hindu Kush Range of Mountains. 2nd National Conference on "Threats to Biodiversity and Ecosystems: Efforts to Resolve Current and

- Future Challenges" (November 26 28, 2018) at University of Science and Technology Bannu, Pakistan.
- 26. **Khan S. M.,** 2018 (As an Invited Speaker and foreign delegate). In the World largest event of Food Sciences "*Terra Madre del Gusto*" arranged by Slow Food Association (SFA) & Diffused Universities Network (DUN) (September 20 24, 2018) at Lingotto Oval, Turin Italy.
- 27. **Khan, S. M.**, 2018 (As an invited Speaker). Application of IUCN Criteria to evaluate Conservation Status of the Endemic Medicinal Plant Species in the Western Himalayan Mountain Range. 2nd International Conference on the "Conservation of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants for improving the Livelihood of Mountain Communities through Industrial Linkages" (September 02 05, 2018) at University of Swat, Pakistan.
- 28. **Khan, S. M.**, 2018 (As an invited Speaker). *The concept of Indicator Species in the Biodiversity Conservation*. 8th National Conference on the "*Biodiversity Conservation in Pakistan: Challenges and Solutions*" (July 8 10, 2018) at Baragali Summer Campus, University of Peshawar, Pakistan.
- 29. **Khan, S. M.**, 2018 (As an invited Speaker). Advances in Eco-Informatics and use of multivariate packages. National Workshop on "DNA Fingerprinting: Principles and Techniques" (May, 07 09, 2018) at Centre for Omic Sciences Islamia College Peshawar, the Islamia College University Peshawar.
- 30. **Khan S.M.**, 2018 (As an Invited Speaker as well as main organizer). *Ethnoecologies in Pakistani Himalayas*. The Gastronomy Event "Food in the World Food Ecologies and Sovereignty" (February 19 25, 2018) at the University of Gastronomic Sciences, Pollenzo, Bra, Italy.
- 31. **Khan, S. M.,** 2018 (As an invited Speaker). How to conserve and safeguard endemic flora of the western Himalayas; a quantitative ecological approach. Regional Conference of ASM & NASEM "To promote Safe and Secure Science in the Middle East/North Africa and South/South east Asia" (February 5 9, 2018) at the Sunway University Kuala Lumpur Malaysia.
- 32. **Khan, S. M.**, and I. Norin, 2017 (As an invited Speaker). The effect of pollution on plant species composition and abundance with special reference to sustainability around the Nahpa Gas & Oil Pant, District Karak, Pakistan. National Conference on "Sustainable Development through Biodiversity Conservation and Ecotourism" (December 11 13, 2017) at University of Science and Technology Bannu, Pakistan.
- 33. **Khan, S. M.**, 2017. *Phytodiversity in Cholistan Desert Bahawalpur with Special Reference to Toba (Water Bodies). As an invited speaker in* 1st International Conference on "Climate Change and Biodiversity (IC3B)" (May, 02 04, 2017) at Cholistan Institute of Desert Studies (CIDS) The Islamia University of Bahawalpur. http://ic3b.org/
- 34. **Khan, S. M.**, 2017. *Mountains and Plants Endemism; a special focus on Hind-Himalayas*. As an invited speaker in 1st International Conference on "*Plants; Their Chemical and Biological Applications for Today and Tomorrow*" (April, 12 14, 2017) at University of Gujrat, Pakistan. https://us.eventbu.com/gujrat/1st-international-conference-on-plants-their-chemical-and-biol/2364209
- 35. Invited speaker in training Workshop on "Research Planning, Data Analysis, Report Writing and Presentation Skills" organized by Department of Botany, Hazara University Mansehra. December 4-5, 2015.
- 36. **Khan**, **S. M.**, 2014. Invited Speaker to deliver plenary speech on "*Himalayayan Ethnobotany*". Proceedings of 2nd Conference on "*Natural health (2nd ICONAHE*)" (October 26 28, 2014) at Abdelhamid Ibn Badis University Mostaganem, Algeria. http://lpap.univ-mosta.dz/
- 37. **Khan S.M.,** 2014. (As an Invited Speaker as well as main organizer). *Ethnoecologies in Pakistani Himalayas*. The Gastronomy Event "Food Culture and Communications; Human Ecology and sustainability" (July 14 23, 2018) at the University of Gastronomic Sciences, Pollenzo, Bra, Italy.

Abstracts published based on oral/poster presentations in the congresses/conferences/symposia

- 1. **Khan, S. M.** & N. Muhammad, 2012. Carbon sequestration Potential of pure Quercus incanaRoxb. forest of the Temperate region of Pakistan. Proceedings of the 9th International & 18th National Conference of Plant Scientists (INCPS-2024), themed "Capitalizing Plant Diversity for Ensuring Food Security," organized by Pakistan Botanical Society (October 28 30, 2024) at Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan.
- 2. Zeb, S. A., **Khan, S. M.** Abdullah, Z. Ahmad, M. Fiaz, M. Saba, H. Gul, & T. A. Zeb, 2012. *Ecological Interaction of Russula Genus; A Case Study from the Moist Temperate Region of Murree Forest*

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- 3. **Khan, S. M.**, 2024. Ecological insights into weed flora variability in wheat crop under different edaphic and farming practices in the 9th International Conference & Expo on "Biodiversity and Medicinal Plants: A Way Forward to Sustainable Development (BMP-SD 2023)" (December 14 16, 2023) at PMAS Arid Agriculture University Rawalpindi, Pakistan.
- 4. Khan, S. M., 2023. Ecological Comparisons of Vegetation and Soil along the Fresh and Salty Water Regimes in the North-Western parts of Pakistan in the "International Conference on Saline Resource Management in the context of Global Climate Changes – SRM-2023" (Feberuary 24 – 26, 2023) at Dr. Muhammad Ajmal Khan Institute of Sustainable Halophyte Utilization, University of Karachi, Karachi-75270, Pakistan.
- 5. Khan, S. M., & Maham Rana 2022. Value addition to the table grapes: raisins production in the climate change scenario for its off-season use and high price "Symposium towards the International Society for Gastronomic Sciences and Studies Thematic area VI: Climate Change, Agroecology, and Ecological Transition" (September 22 26, 2022) at the UNISG Pollenzo and University of Turin Italy.
- 6. Abdullah, **S. M. Khan**, Zahoor Ul Haq, Shahab Ali and Shakil Ahmad Zeb, 2022. *Edapho-climatic factors drive intraspecific variation in Nannorrhops ritchieana (Griff) Aitch functional traits in the Hindu-Himalaya*. Proceedings of the *Annual Conference/meeting of Ecological Society of America & Canadian Society for Ecology & Evolution (ESACSEE)* at Montreal, Canada, August 14-19, 2022.
- 7. **S. M. Khan**, Muhammad Suliman, S. Ali, 2022. *Carbon Sequestration among the Woody Vegetation along Elevation Gradient*. Proceedings of the 9th National Biodiversity, Climate Change and Carbon Sequestration at University of Peshawar, Pakistan, June 21-24, 2022.
- 8. **S. M. Khan** et. al.,, 2022. *Grape (Vitis vinifera L.) cultivation in Pakistan; a step towards Climate Smart Agriculture.* Proceedings of the 7th *International Conference on "Climate Smart Agriculture: Innovations And Adaptations"* at University of Poonch, Rawalakot Kashmir Pakistan, June 15-17, 2022.
- 9. Abdullah, Zahoor Ul Haq, **S. M. Khan**, 2022. Nannorrhops ritchieana (Griff.) Aitch. is a gregarious Palm; shedding light on its associated chorotypes. Proceedings of the 10th Biennial Conference International Biogeography Conference (IBC 2022) at Vancouver, Canada, June 2-6, 2022.
- 10. **S. M. Khan** & Ateeqa Khalid 2022. *Biological Spectrum and Phytogeographic Elements of the Wildlife Park Bansra Gali, Murree an example from Moist Temperate Ecosystem*. Proceedings of the 10th Biennial Conference International Biogeography Conference (IBC 2022) at Vancouver, Canada, June 2-6, 2022.
- 11. S. M. Khan et. al.,, 2022. Wood Specific Gravity a Step Towards Better Conservation management: A Dynamic Trait along Various Ecological Gradients in Mountain Forests of the Hindu Kush Range. Proceedings of the 5th International Conference on "Advances in biosciences: Bridging the gap between research and sustainable development goals" at University of Swat Pakistan, May 24-26, 2022.
- 12. Abdullah, **S. M. Khan**, S. Shehzaadi, Y. Khan, S. Ali, M. Iqbal, S. A. Zeb, Z. U. Haq, 2021. *Overcoming seed dormancy in the Mazri Palm; a sustainable way for its production at business scale*. Proceedings of the 6th *Multi-Disciplinary Student Research International Conference (MDSRIC 2021)* at University of Wah, Pakistan, November 29 December 01, 2021.
- 13. Abdullah, **S. M. Khan,** S. A. Zeb, K. Rahman, Z. U. Haq, K. Rahman, 2021. *Nannorrhops ritchieana* (*Griff.*) *Aitch and its associated flora in the Hindukush range of Northwest Pakistan: An economic palm.* Proceedings of the *Virtual Annual Meeting 2021 Ecological Society of America* at USA, August 02 06, 2021.
- 14. S. Jahangir, Abdullah, S. Ali, U. Ejaz, Z. Ahmad & S. Jahangir, S. M. Khan, 2021. *Distribution and abundance of noxious weeds in the disturbed habitats of Mirpur, Azad Jammu & Kashmir*. Proceedings of "16th NATIONAL WEED SCIENCE CONGRESS" organized by Pakistan Weed Society. (July 08 10, 2021) at Department of Weed Science and Botany, the University of Agriculture Peshawar Pakistan.
- 15. M. Rana, S. M. Khan, A. Khalid, Abdullah, S. Ali, Z. Ahmad & S. Jahangir, 2021. Assessment of Weed plants in the industrial zone of Islamabad the Capital area of Pakistan. Proceedings of "16th NATIONAL WEED SCIENCE CONGRESS" organized by Pakistan Weed Society. (July 08 10, 2021) at Department of Weed Science and Botany, the University of Agriculture Peshawar Pakistan.

- 16. A. Khalid, S. M. Khan, S. Ali, M. Rana, Abdullah, & S. Jahangir, 2021. Invaders are the Degraders; A case of Silybum marianum (L.) Gaertn. invasion in the Polluted Zone of industries in Islamabad, Pakistan. Proceedings of "16th NATIONAL WEED SCIENCE CONGRESS" organized by Pakistan Weed Society. (July 08 10, 2021) at Department of Weed Science and Botany, the University of Agriculture Peshawar Pakistan.
- 17. **Khan, S. M.**, Abdullah, K. Rahman, U. Ejaz, S. Ali, S. Jahangir, A. U. Rahman, S. Shehzadi, & Z.Ahmad, 2021. *Showcasing the Internationally Prioritized Medicinal Plants to Counteract the Pandemics Potential Remedies for COVID-19 and Other Forms of SARS*. AASSA-PAS Webinar Series 2021 "*Pandemic Preparedness: Science and Countermeasures*" at Pakistan Academy of Sciences, Islamabad. May 25, 2021.
- 18. Rahman, K., S. M. Khan, & Abdullah 2021. *Impact of urbanization on species richness and invasive species pool.* International Conference on "International Conference on Energy, Water and Environment ICEWE 2021" at University of Engineering & Technology Lahore Pakistan. March, 30th, 2021.
- 19. M. Khan, W. Muhammad & S. M. Khan, 2020. *Impact of plastic pollution on fresh water biota of water streams around the picnic spots of Hilly region in the Swat Valley Pakistan*. 6th International Water Conference "06- IWC-2019" at University of Haripur-Haripur, Pakistan. December 29 -30, 2020.
- 20. **Khan**, **S. M.**, 2020. *Use of ecological indicators & eco-informatics in smart plantation in the scenario of climate change*. International Conference on "Smart Plantation an Ultimate Solution to Climate Change" at Lahore College for Women University, Lahore Pakistan. March, 02 04, 2020.
- 21. Ullah, F., **S. M., Khan**, and A. Rahman, 2020. *Diversity in leaf and shoot morphological characteristics among various Grape (Vitis vinifra L.) cultivars in Agro-climatic region of Bajaur, Pakistan*. National Conference on "Benificial Microbes & Sustainable Crop Production" at the University of Agriculture, Peshawar, Pakistan. March, 02 04, 2020.
- 22. Abbas. Z. & Khan, S. M., 2020. Vegetation dynamics along altitudinal gradients in the Shigar valley (Central Karakorum). Pakistan: Zonation, Physiognomy, ecosystem services and environmental impacts. International Symposium on "Plant Life of South Asia (on the successful completion of) Flora of Pakistan Project" at University of Karachi Pakistan. February, 24-27 2020.
- 23. Ahmad. Z. & Khan, S. M., 2020. Angiosperms distribution in the marble waste polluted ecosystem and driving microclimatic factors. International Symposium on "Plant Life of South Asia (on the successful completion of) Flora of Pakistan Project" at University of Karachi Pakistan. February, 24-27 2020.
- 24. Abdullah, **Khan**, **S. M.**, & Haq, Z. U., 2020. Ecological assessment of the Mazri Palm {Nannorrhops ritchiana (Griff.) Aitch} and its associated flora in the tribal belt of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan. International Symposium on "**Plant Life of South Asia (on the successful completion of) Flora of Pakistan Project"** at University of Karachi Pakistan. February, 24-27 2020 (poster).
- 25. **Khan, S. M.,** Abdullah, M. Asif and H. Shah, 2019. *Mazri (Nannorrhops ritchiana (Griff) Aitch. a remarkable source of manufacturing traditional handicrafts, goods and utensils in Pakistan.* Proceedings (Supplementary Issue of Pharmacology Online Journal V. December 30) 28th SILAE Congress *"International Exhibition for Natural Products Innovation the natural trade meets at the Natural 2019"* (September 16 20, 2019) at La Habana, Cuba.
- 26. **Khan, S. M.** & S. Rasheed, 2019. Role of water collecting bodies (locally known as Tobas) in distribution pattern and floristic composition of Pakistan's largest desert, the Cholistan. 2nd Conference of the Arabian Journal of Geosciences, University of Sousse Tunisia, November 25 28, 2019.
- 27. **Khan, S. M.** & Zulfiqar, 2019. *Ecological modelling of Japanese Oak (Quercus glauca) in the western Himalayas*. *The International Society for Ecological Modelling Global Conference 2019* at Salzburg Congress Centre, Salzburg, Austria, October 01 05, 2019.
- 28. **Khan, S. M.*,** I. Nourin, Z. Ahmad, M. Iqbal, A. Ullah & Abdussalam, 2019. *Native medicinal plant species as potential phytoaccumulators of heavy metals from the contaminated soils around Nashpa oil field; A step towards clean and cure the polluted environment*. AASSA-PAS Regional Workshop on "Complementary Medicine as an Answer to Challenges Faced in Achieving Sustainable Goals in Health", Islamabad, Pakistan. August 19 21, 2019.
- 29. Salam, A., S. M. Khan, A. Ali, M. S. Afridi1, I. R. Noorka, J. U. Din, 2019. Impact of osmotic stress on growth and physiological characteristics of wheat seedlings. 9th National Conference on "Innovative Trends in Wheat: Way Forward to Sustainable Wheat Production" at the College of Agriculture University of Sargodha, Pakistan. February 12 -14, 2019. https://su.edu.pk/events/post/52/CALL-FOR-PAPER

- 30. **Khan**, **S. M.**, Z. U. Haq, and Z. Ahmad, 2019. *Heavy Metals Uptake ability from water by the Himalayan alder growing in Riparian habitat of Sino Japanese regions in Pakistan*. 5th International Water Conference "05- IWC-2019" at University of Haripur-Haripur, Pakistan. January 15-17, 2019.
- 31. Kamran, S. and **S. M. Khan**, 2018. Flora of Graveyard of District Bannu, Pakistan and its role in Plants Conservation; a multivariate Statistical approach. 4th International Multidisciplinary Research Conference on "Global Prosperity through Research & Development" at Sarhad University of Science and Information Technology, Peshawar. October 09 11, 2018.
- 32. Rehman, A., S. M. Khan, S. Ullah, A. Ullah and F. Ullah 2018. *Post-Harvest Losses of Grapes in Quetta and Pishin, Balochistan*. National Conference on "Agricultural Problems and Food Security in the Changing Climate" at University of Agriculture, Peshawar. November 14 17, 2018.
- 33. Haq, Z. U., and S. M. Khan, 2018. Conservation Status' Assessments of the Himalayan Alder Plant through IUCN Red List Categories and Criteria; A Case Study across the Hindu-Himalayan Mountain Ranges of Pakistan. 2nd International Conference on the "Conservation of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants for improving the Livelihood of Mountain Communities through Industrial Linkages" at University of Swat, Pakistan. September 02 05, 2018.
- 34. Ahmad, Z., and S. M. Khan, 2018. Zonation of the Marble Waste Polluted Ecosystem and assessment of their respective Indicator Species in District Buner, Pakistan. 2nd International Conference on the "Conservation of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants for improving the Livelihood of Mountain Communities through Industrial Linkages" at University of Swat, Pakistan. September 02 05, 2018.
- 35. **Khan, S. M.**, and M. Hussain, 2018. *Multivariate approach to vegetation by using robust statistical tools; a step towards conservation management.* 5th Oceania Congress for Conservation Biology (July 2 6, 2018) at the Wellington, Aotearoa, New Zealand.
- 36. **Khan, S. M.**, 2018. Endemic plants in the scenario of climatic and anthropogenic changes. 1st International Conference on "Climate Change Impacts on Agriculture and Food Supply (IC³AF)" (April 24-26, 2018) at University of Swabi, Swabi, Pakistan.
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- 113. **Khan, S. M.**, D. M. Harper, S. Page and H. Ahmad, 2011. *The Ethnobotanic importance of mountain ecosystems: a case study of Naran Valley in the Western Himalayas*. Proceedings of 4th ESP international conference "*Ecosystem Services: integrating Science and Practice*" (October 04-07, 2011) University of Wageningen, the Netherlands. http://www.espconference.org/previous_editions/78795/5/0/60
- 114. **Khan, S. M.**, D. M. Harper, S. Page and H. Ahmad, 2011. *Vegetation abundance and anthropogenic pressure on it, in a remote western Himalayas, the Naran Pakistan*. Proceedings of international conference "*People and Nature in Mountains: Changing Land Use and Landscape Dynamic*" (September 21-23, 2011) Museum of Natural history, Trondheim, Norway. http://www.ntnu.no/vitenskapsmuseet/conference-program
- 115. **Khan, S. M.**, D. M. Harper, S. Page and H. Ahmad, 2011. *Role of Vegetation in Ecological Restoration in the Himalayas*. Proceedings of 4th world conference and 20th meeting of the society "*Ecological Restoration*" (August 21-25, 2011) Merida, Mexico. http://www.ser2011.org/en/ser2011/
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Conferences/workshops/Symposia/seminars/Trainings courses participated in/attended

- 1. Attended a Cluster Conference "The urgency for Climate Change Education Emerging Youth Leaders for Indigenous and sustainable climate action" organized by Teachers' Resource Center (TRC) in collaboration with Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, on August 6th, 2024.
- 2. Attended the 25th Conference of the Islamic World Academy of Sciences (IAS) on Water-Energy-Food-Ecosystem Nexus for the Security of the OIC Countries; held at PAS, Pakistan, July 22 to July 24, 2024.
- 3. Attended "AIU-2024: The Synergy of Education, Science and Artificial Intel-Ligence: From Idea to Practice" dedicated to the SCIENCE DAY, at Astana International university Kazakhstan; April22-23, 2024.
- 4. Attended the International Conference on "Climate Change and Disasters Risk" organized by CPJRC at QAU, on 27-29th, October 2023.
- 5. Attended the seminar talk "Paleoecological insights into the response of biodiversity and ecosystems to climate change" organized by Pakistan Academy of Sciences, on 11th September, 2022.
- 6. Attended the MAAP-PAS-ANSO Hybrid Workshop on "Ecosystem Restoration: One-Health and Pandemics" organized by Pakistan Academy of Sciences, on 5th June, 2022.
- 7. Attended a Training/Orientation Session for Focal persons and oversight committee Members under the project Green Youth Movement Prime Minister Youth Program at HEC Islamabad, Pakistan on 13th May, 2022.
- 8. Attended a Conference "Sacred Forests of Asia Spiritual Ecology and the Politics of Nature Hosted by Bard College at Simon's Rock, USA, 22-24 April, 2022.
- 9. Attended the Training Workshop "Collection and Conservation Techniques for MAPs" organized by NARC, PARC Pakistan and KEW Botanical Garden, UK on 3rd February, 2022.
- 10. Attended the "World Fisheries Day Event" organized by IUCN and Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad Pakistan on 21st November, 2021.
- 11. Attended and played the role of Judge for Poster competition during the International Conference on Biodiversity and CEBRM 10th Anniversary, 16th November, 2021.
- 12. Attended the event AASSA-PAS Webinar Series 2021 "Pandemic Preparedness: Science and Countermeasures WEBINAR IV/HYBRID WORKSHOP COVID-19 and Higher Education: Addressing Food Insecurity through Policy Support and Research" by Pakistan Academy of Sciences, Islamabad, Academy of Sciences, Malaysia, Korean Academy of Science and Technology (KAST) National Academy of Young Scientists (NAYS), Pakistan, on 24th June, 2021.
- 13. Attended the event "Launch of ISAAA Brief 55 and Half-day Seminar on Science Communication and Public Engagement" by COMSTECH, Secretariat, Islamabad in collaboration with Pakistan Biotechnology Information Center (PABIC), Karachi Chapter at the COMSTECH, Secretariat, Islamabad, on 09th March, 2021.
- 14. Attended an event "National Science Day dedicated to the achievements and contributions of Dr. Abdus Salam, the first Nobel Laureate of the Islamic World" at Pakistan Academy of Sciences, Islamabad Pakistan on 29th, January, 2021.
- 15. A webinar on "Search for Extraterrestrial Life across the Solar System" by Dr. Nozair Khawaja, on 04th January, 2021.
- 16. Training for Slow Food leaders "Improve Your Skills! Fundraising: Techniques and Good Practices" (Virtual) 9th December, 2020, Bra, Italy.
- 17. Agriculture webinar episode 17 entitled "World Science Day for Peace and Development Recarbonization of Global Soils: Challenges and Opportunities" at 05:00 PM PST.
- 18. PAS Agriculture webinar episode 16 entitled "Oilseed Crop Production and Supply Chain" on 6th November, 2020 at 06:00 PM PST.
- 19. 4th International Pharmacy Conference (Virtual) at Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan. October 10, 2020.
- 20. PAS Agriculture webinar WEBINAR Education and Learning Pandemic Times on 24th September, 2020 at 04:00 PM PST.
- 21. PAS Agriculture webinar episode 4 entitled "A Review of Agriculture Policy in Pakistan" on 17th, August 2020 at 11:00 AM PST.
- 22. PAS Agriculture webinar episode 2 entitled "Precision Agriculture and Sustainable Solutions" on 30th, July 2020 at 04:00 PM PST.

- 23. National Conference on "Combating the Air Pollution! The biggest Killer. Saving Lives, Saving Planet" at Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan. Septemver 18th, 2019.
- 24. Three days Conference TUFUAB 2019: X. Türkiye Ulusal Fotogrametri ve Uzaktan Algılama Birliği Teknik Sempozyumu at University of Aksarey, Turkey. April 25-27, 2019. http://tufuab2019.aksaray.edu.tr/
- 25. One day Conference on "Building innovative Pakistan through science, technology and innovation policy" Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan. February 14th, 2019. http://www.eco4science.org/Building-Innovative-Pakistan
- 26. One day international seminar on "Crop Wild Relatives Genetic Resources of Pakistan and their Utilization" at National Agricultural Research Council, Islamabad. November 14th, 2018.
- 27. 2nd International Conference on Natural Sciences, Climate and Biodiversity at the University of Azad Jammu & Kashmir, Muzaffarabad. September 15-17, 2018. c
- 28. 3rd National Workshop on "*Global Code of Ethics*" organized by Chemical Society of Pakistan & PAS, at Department of Chemistry Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan. July 2nd, 2018.
- 29. One day PhDs Convention "*Role and guidance of PhDs in policy making*" organized by Madeenat-ul-Elam Society, at Islamabad Hotel, Pakistan. October 28th, 2017.
- 30. Three days' workshop on "Modern Trends in Microscopy (WM-2016)" organized by National Institute of Vacuum Science and Technology (NINVAST), Islamabad. May 24-26, 2016.
- 31. 16th International Congress of Soil Science on "*Healthy Soils for Food Security*" organized by Soil Science Society of Pakistan in collaboration with HEC at PMAS Arid Agriculture University Rawalpindi. March 15-17, 2016.
- 32. One-Day Symposium on "Irradiation as a sanitary and phyto-sanitary treatment of medicinal herbs/plants" organized by Nuclear Institute for Food and Agriculture (NIFA) in collaboration with Pakistan Science Foundation (PSF) at NIFA Peshawar. October 29, 2015.
- 33. One-Day PSSP Seminar on "Providing Policy Support for sustained Development in Swat District" organized by USAID at Planning Commission Islamabad, Pakistan. September 15, 2015.
- 34. Social Media, Friend or Foe? University of Leicester, UK. March 14, 2012.
- 35. The Social Web: Building and Maintaining your Digital Profile (SPR Event), Media Zoo, University of Leicester, UK. March 7, 2012.
- 36. Botanical Society of Scotland's one day workshop on "Celebrating Diversity in Community Woodlands in Scotland", at Perth Museum and art Gallery, Scotland, UK. January 11, 2012.
- 37. Using PowerPoint for poster design, April 12, 2011.
- 38. Botanical Society of Scotland's workshop on "*Plant Ecology & Evolution*", at Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh, University of Edinburgh, UK. October 18 19, 2011.
- 39. Working with others: team work and leadership, University of Leicester, UK. February 26, 2009.
- 40. Demonstrating and teaching skills, at University of Leicester, UK. January 29, 2009
- 41. Four week course on APG Statistics using Stata, University of Leicester, UK. November, 2008.
- 42. HEC Workshop on "*Training of Trainers in Plant Biodiversity*", at Department of Botany, University Peshawar, Pakistan. November 23 25, 2006.
- 43. HEC Workshop on "2nd National Training in Biotechnological Techniques" University of Sindh Jamshoro, Pakistan. December 10 14, 2006.
- 44. HEC Workshop on "Advances in Plants Ecology", Department of Botany, University of Karachi, Pakistan. July 3 6, 2006.

Member of editorial board for international journals

- o Review Editor of the Frontiers in Public Health & Nutrition since 2022.
- o Journal of Ethnobiology and Ethnomedicine since 2012.
- o Journal of Ethnobotany Research and Applications since 2018
- Journal Conservation Biology Pakistan since 2014.
- o Pakistan Journal of Botany, Guest Editor in 2011, 2014 and 2017.

Reviewer of international journals

- 1) Journal of Hazardous Material
- 2) Journal of Cleaner Production
- 3) Science of the Total Environment
- 4) Journal of Ecological Indicators
- 5) Journal of Ethnobiology & Ethnomedicines

- 6) Journal of Ecological Informatics
- 7) Journal of Ecological Modelling
- 8) Global Ecology & Conservation
- 9) Plos One
- 10) Journal of Biodiversity & Conservation
- 11) Journal of Nature Conservation
- 12) Mountain research and Development
- 13) Saudi Journal of Biological Sciences
- 14) Journal of Forestry Research
- 15) Turkish Journal of Botany
- 16) Nordic Journal of Botany
- 17) Pakistan Journal of Botany
- 18) The Journal of Animal and Plant Sciences
- 19) Ethnobotany Research & Applications
- 20) Proceedings of the Pakistan Academy of Sciences
- 21) Journal of ERDKUNDE
- 22) Journal of Modern Applied Science
- 23) Journal of Ecology and Natural Environment
- 24) Journal of Phyton
- 25) Journal of Medicinal Plants Research
- 26) PCST Journal Science, Technology and Development
- 27) Journal of Mountain Research and Development
- 28) Pakistan Journal of Weeds Sciences
- 29) Revista Bosque
- 30) Arabian Journal of Geoscience

Role in the Academic and Scientific Societies/Associations

- 2024 2026 President/President Elect, International Ethnobiological Society (ISE).
- ❖ 2022 2024 Vice President/President Elect, International Ethnobiological Society (ISE).
- * 2022 todate Member Board of Directors, International Society of Gastronomic Science and Studies (ISGSS).
- ❖ 2019 todate President, Local Chapter Islamabad, Voluntary Force Against Hepatitis Transmission (VFAHT).
- ❖ 2018 todate Country Coordinator, Slow Food International.
- ❖ 2014 todate General Secretary, Pakistan Society of Conservation Biology (PSCB).
- ❖ 2021 todate Member, Ecological Society of America (ESA), USA.
- ❖ 2011 todate Member, British Ecological Society (BES), UK.
- ❖ 2008 todate Member, Botanical Society for the British Isles (BSBI), England, UK.
- ❖ 2007 todate Member, Pakistan Botanical Society (PBS).
- ❖ 2009 2015 Member, Scottish Botanical Society, Scotland, UK.
- ❖ 2009 2015 Member, Physical Geography Research Group University of Leicester, UK.
- ❖ 2006 2018 Member, Botanical Society Hazara University (BSH), Pakistan.
- ❖ 2006 2008 Member, DNA Group Hazara University, Pakistan.

Research Theses/Dissertations evaluated/examined at postgraduate (PhD) level

- 1. Nazia Arif, 2024, PhD Botany, University of Azad Jammu & Kashmir, Muzaffarabad Pakistan; Thesis entitled "Molecular and Biochemical Characterization of Family Lamiaceae from Poonch Valley, Azad Jammu and Kashmir".
- 2. Kamran Akbar, 2024, PhD Botany, Bacha Khan University Charsadda, Pakistan; Thesis entitled "Role and diversity of arbuscular mycorrhizae Fungi in Cicer arietinum L. and Phaseolus vulgaris L. from Punjab, Pakistan".
- 3. Saba Munir, 2023, PhD Botany, University of Gujrat, Pakistan; Thesis entitled "Post Harvest Management and Genotyping of Banana".
- 4. Ms. Naila Shah, 2023, PhD, Department of Botany, Abdul Wali Khan University Mardan, Pakistan; Thesis titled "EDTA and IAA assisted phytoremediation of heavy metals polluted soil".
- 5. Ms. Sadaf Bibi, 2023, PhD, Department of Plant Biotechnology and Genetic Engineering, Hazara University Mansehra Pakistan; Thesis titled "Gene Pyramiding For Stripe Rust Resistance In Bread Wheat".

- 6. Mr. Muddaser Shah, 2022, PhD, Department of Botany, Abdul Wali Khan University Mardan, Pakistan; Thesis titled "Bioassay Guided Isolation and Characterization of Secondary Metabolites from Scutellaria Edelbergii Rech. F.".
- 7. Mr. Shahid Ali, 2022, PhD, Department of Botany, Pir Mehr Ali Shah, Arid Agriculture University Rawalpindi, Pakistan; Thesis titled "Floristic Diversity, Phytoecology and Quantitative Ethnobotanical studies of District Chakwal, Pakistan".
- 8. Mr. Muhammad Ihsan, 2022, PhD Department of Botany, University of Malakand, Pakistan; Thesis titled "Assessing the Genetic Polymorphisms in Oat (Avena sativa L.) based on Morphometrics, Biochemical, and Molecular Markers".
- 9. Mr. Rahmat Wali, 2022, PhD, Department of Botany, Pir Mehr Ali Shah, Arid Agriculture University Rawalpindi, Pakistan; Thesis titled "Ethnopharmacological evaluation of medicinal plants of Fairy meadows and surrounding valleys, Gilgit Baltistan, Pakistan".
- 10. Mr. Muhammad Fawad, 2022, PhD, Department of Weed Science and Botany, Faculty of Crop Protection Sciences, the University of Agriculture, Peshawar–Pakistan; Thesis titled "Integrated Management of Parasitic Weed (Orobanche Spp) and associated Weeds in Tomato (Solanum lycopersicum Mill.)".
- 11. Mr. Adnan Khattak, 2022, PhD, Department of Botany, University of Sciene and Technology Bannu, Pakistan; Thesis titled "Titanium Dioxide Nanoparticles and Salicylic Acid alleviate Adverse Effects of Water deficit Stress on Biodiesel Production potential of Sunflower".
- 12. Ms. Ayesha Ayub, 2020, PhD, Department of Environmental Sciences, Fatima Jinnah Women University Rawalpindi, Pakistan; Thesis titled "Environmental Pollution Assessment in the subrubs of Coalmines in the Selected District of Balochistan, Pakistan".
- 13. Ms. Uzma, 2019, PhD, Department of Plant Biotechnology Atta-Ur-Rahman School of Applied Biosciences National University of Sciences and Technology Islamabad, Pakistan; Thesis titled "Biosystematic Study of Himalayan Carex L. (Cyperaceae)".
- 14. Mr. Siraj Ahmad, 2016, PhD Botany, University of Malakand, Pakistan; Thesis entitled "Population Structure and Dynamics of Dodonaea Viscosa (Linn.) Jacq., in Malakand Division Pakistan".

Research Theses/Dissertations evaluated/examined at Postgraduate (MPhil) & Graduate (MSc/BS) levels; nationally as well as internationally

PhD = 14 MPhil = 104

MSc/BS = 87

Countries visited

- United Kingdom
- Italy
- China
- Kazakhstan
- Malaysia
- Morocco
- Netherland
- Norway
- Oman
- Qatar
- Russia
- Saudi Arabia
- Sweden
- **❖** Switzerland
- Thailand
- Turkey
- United Arab Emirate

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 - Web Page: http://www2.le.ac.uk/departments/biology/people/heslop-harrison (PhD Internal Examiner)
- 6. **Prof. Dr. Heiko Balzter,** Professor of Physical Geography, Director of the Centre for Landscape and Climate Research Holder of the Royal Society Wolfson Research Merit Awardee, University of Leicester, UK. Phone 0044 1162523854. Email: http://www2.le.ac.uk/departments/geography/people/hb91 (Post Doctorate Supervisor)
- 7. **Prof. Dr. Riffat Naseem Malik** (*TI*), Professor and Chairperson Environmental Sciences, Quaid-i-Azam University Islamabad, Pakistan. Ph: +92-051 9064-3017; Email: r n malik2000@yahoo.co.uk, Web Page: http://www.qau.edu.pk/profile.php?id=804005
- 8. **Prof. Dr. Habib Ahmad** (*TI*), Professor of Botany, Vice Chancellor, Islamia Colloege Pehawar and Hazara University Mansehra, Pakistan. Ph: 0092 3339991959 & 0092 997 414131; Email: drhahmad@gmail.com, Web Page: http://icp.edu.pk/page.php?abc=201412101234155 (PhD's Field and MPhil Supervisor).
- 9. **Dr. Muhammad Nisar,** Professor of Botany & Chairman Department of Botany, Malakand University, Chackdara, Pakistan. Ph: 0092 3335210289; Email: misarhu@gmail.com Web Page: http://www.uom.edu.pk/faculty/botany/# (MPhil Supervisor).
