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Mrs. Azra Abidi is Professor in the Department of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia Central University Delhi, India. She has 30 years of teaching and research experience.

### **Area of Specialization and Research Interest**

- Gender Studies
- Islam and Muslims in South Asia
- Sociology of Education
- Sociology of Literature
- Sociology of Marginalized groups
- Sociology of Religion

Professor Azra Abidi has completed Masters in Sociology from Gorakhpur University, UP, Master of Education(M.Ed.) from Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi and did Ph.D (1995) from Lucknow University, UP on the topic-**Conservative and Radical Teachers; A Sociological Study on Lucknow and its Associated College Teachers**. Professor Abidi is a trained Manager of UGC Capacity Building for Women Managers in Higher Education Training of Trainers (2007). She is member of various academic bodies and Women Organizations of National and International level.

Her research investigates various aspects of gender and society, interfaith dialogue and religion. Additionally, she has expertise in the fields like Sociology of South Asia, women empowerment, Islam and Muslim society. She has fluency in Urdu, English, and Hindi languages. Currently, she is working on a major research project funded by ICSSR/IMPRESS on **“Education, State and Democracy: A case study of valley of Kashmir”**

### **Contact Information**

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### **Teaching Experience (Thirty Years)-**

- Permanent faculty in the Department of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi-110025 since 2003. (16 years)
- Temporary Faculty in the Department of Sociology Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi from January 2001 to 13th November 2003. (3 years)
- Lecturer-II (Foundation) in District Institute of Education and Training (DIET) Keshavpuram, Delhi w.e. 20<sup>th</sup> October 1999 To April 2000 (6 months)
- Lecturer in Shia Post Graduate College, Lucknow, U.P. w.e. 9th January 1993 to 30th March 1998 (5 years and 3 months).
- Temporary Lecturer in Karamat Husain Muslim Girls Post Graduate College, Lucknow for the period from 19.12.1988 to 30.04.1994. (5 years 4 months)
- Guest faculty in the Faculty of Law, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi from 2001 to 2006 in addition to duties of Department of Sociology, JMI, New Delhi

### **Research Experience (Fifteen Years)**

1- One Year Research Project Completed in 2009.

***Topic: Mapping Cultural Mindscapes: Aspiration as Capacity for Development, (Community, Gender and Citizenship) Sponsored by - Muslim Women's Forum, New Delhi***

Area of Research - Okhla, Jamia Nagar, New Delhi

2- An Ongoing Major Research Project

***Topic- "Education, state and Democracy: A case study of valley of Kashmir"***

Area of research – Srinagar

Sponsored by - Indian Council of Social Science Research, ICSSR/IMPRESS

### **Courses Prepared for M.A, Sociology Students**

- 1- Indian Society Structure, Agency and Change
- 2- Islam and Muslims in South Asia
- 3- Social Thinkers in India

### **Courses Prepared for B.A – Sociology Students, JMI**

1. Techniques of Investigation
2. Social Change and Social Problems in India
3. Society and Religion
4. Introduction to Sociology
5. Basic Concepts in Sociology
6. Indian Society: Text and Context
7. Contemporary Issues in Indian Society
8. Introduction to Gender Studies
9. Gender Sensitization: Issues and Challenges
10. Social Thinkers in India

### **Scholarly Publications**

- **Books-**

- 1- Edited Book on Hindustan Mein Tanisayat (Feminism in India) NCPUL, New Delhi, 2019, **ISBN 978-93-87510-87-6**
- 2- Samaji Tahqeeq (Social Research), NCPUL, New Delhi, 2018, **ISBN 978-93-87510-15-9**
- 3- Samjiyat Ka Tarruf (Introduction to Sociology) in Urdu Language, 2016, **ISBN-978-93-85295-51-5**, Noor Publications, Daryaganj, New Delhi.
- 4- Hindustan Mein Samaji Tabdili aur Samaji Masael (Social Change and Social Problems in India), in Urdu Language, IBS, Pvt. Limited, New Delhi, 2015, **ISBN-978-81-7231-387-6**

5- “Samaj Aur Samajyat” (Society and Sociology), In Urdu language, Hira Publication, New Delhi, 2011, **ISBN-81-86536-22-1**

6- Conservative and Reformist Teachersa Sociological study of Teachers, Anmol Publication, New Delhi**2003,-ISBN 81-261-1415-0**

7- A booklet written on –HIV/AIDS Prevention and Care, 2012

- **Books Translated in Urdu-**

1- Translated NCERT, Dictionary of Sociology in Urdu for class 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

2- Translated NCERT, sociology text book in Urdu for class 11<sup>th</sup>, Title of the book – Samajyatek Tarruf (Introducing Sociology), 2006 reprinted in 2013

- **Books Under Publication-**

1- Qadeem aur AsriSamajiyatiNazarye (Classical and Contemporary Sociological Theory in Urdu language), NCPUL, New Delhi.

- **Articles Published-**

1-Article Published in Muslim Societies –ASocial Science Journal,Editor,Nadeem Hasnain,  
ISSN NO-0973-2802,Vol. 12 No. 2 2019

**Title -Muslim Girls and Higher Education: A Sociological Analysis of Patriarchy, Policy and Poverty**

2- Article published in a Book, “The Inspiration” Special Issue on Social Problems, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences Vivesvaraya National Institute of Technology, Nagpur, Maharashtra.ISBN-978-93-83139-35-4, Volume-01, Issue-01, March, 2018.

3- **Title-Revisiting the Idea of Gender Equality in Islam: A Sociological Analysis of Marriage related Laws for Muslim Women in India**

4- A Research Paper published in International Journal of English Language, Indexed, Peer reviewed (Refereed) Journal, Volume, V, Issue IV, April, 2017, ISSN-2321-7065

5- A Research Paper published in, ‘Being a Minority in India: Issues and Challenges’ (Edited) Arvinder Ansari and Imtiaz Ahmad, Alter Notes Press, N. D, 2016, ISBN-978-81-933128-1-0

**Title of Paper-Infertility as a form of Social Exclusion among Muslim Women in India: A Sociological Study**

- 6- A Research Paper published in International Journal of Advanced Research (April (30) issue, VOL 4, 2016), ISSN 2320-5407 PAGE NO-104-110. [www.journalijar.com](http://www.journalijar.com)

**Title- “Teachings to Maintain Coexistence in a Plural Society: An Indian Perspective with Reference to Hinduism and Islam”**

- 7- A Research Paper published in National Refereed Journal of Social Sciences in Hindi language, Radha Kamal Mukerji: ChintanPrampra, Year 17 issue-2 July-December, 2015, Page No-6-10

**Title of Paper-Feminism in Urdu Fiction: A Sociological Study of Pre independence Urdu Literature.**

- 8- A Research Paper published in International Journal for Social Development, Vol. 3 issue 1, 2015, ISSN 2320-9283 PAGE NO-192-205

**Title- Socio-Economic Exclusion of Marginalized Women: A Study of Meerasins in Lucknow.**

- 9- Article published in International Journal IOSR Journal of Research & Method in Education (IOSR-JRME) e-ISSN: 2320–7388, p-ISSN: 2320–737X Volume 5, Issue 4 Ver. I (Jul - Aug. 2015), PP 00-00 [www.iosrjournals.org](http://www.iosrjournals.org)

**Title-Educational Marginalization of Muslim Girls: A Study on the Role of State and Religion**

- 10- Article published in International Journal of Research in Economics and Social sciences, Volume 5, Issue 1(January 2015), ISSN 2249-7382 Impact Factor-4.992, New Delhi

**Title of article- Social Justice for Women in Islam is a Myth or Reality: A South Asian Perspective.**

- 11- Article published in the Proceedings of Seminar Titled-Breaking the Silence on Human Rights & Gender Issues, DBS (PG) College, Dehradun, Uttrakhand, Bharti Publications, New Delhi, ISBN:978-93-85000-15-7 (Page No-B-4-142-155), 2015

**Title of Paper- Violence against Married Women in India: Challenges and Future Trends**

- 12- Article published in International Journal of Research in Economics and Social sciences, Volume 4, Issue 8 (August 2014), ISSN 2249-7382 Impact Factor-4.992, New Delhi

**Title of article -Half Widows in Kashmir -A Study on the Impact of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder on Women**

13- Article published in Economic and political Weekly (EPW)

**Title- “Towards a Secular Government That Promotes Women’s Interests”**

Volume-XLIXNo.11, March15, 2014, ISSN (online)-2349-8846

14- Article published in Rah-E-Islam Quarterly Journal of Islamic and the Muslim World Studies-ISSN: 2349-095No225-226 February 2013-2014 Page no.55-64, ISSN No-2349-0950

Title of article- Hazrat Fatima Khwateen keliyenamoonayeAmal

15- Article Published In Human Rights and Social Security: Perspectives, Issues and Challenges, Edited By Anisur Rehman, Published By Manak Publications New Delhi, 2011, ISBN 978-81-7831-250-7

**Title of Article-Women and Human Rights in Islam: Facts and Fictions page no-257-272**

16- Article published in Islam and Muslims –A social science Journal, 2011, ISSN NO-0973-2802 <http://www.muslimsocieties.org>

**Title of Article- Educational Marginalization of Muslim in a Metropolitan: A Sociological Study of Jamia Nagar Government Schools, New Delhi page- No.1-11**

17- Article published in Dimensions of Social exclusions: ethnographic Exploration Editors: K.M. Ziyauddin and Eswarappa, Cambridge scholars Publishing, UK, 2009

**Title of Article-Social Exclusion and Marginalization of Muslims of Delhi: A Sociological Study, ISBN (10): 1-4438-1342-7, ISBN (13): 978-1-4438- 1342-6 page no-23-38.**

18- Article published in Rah-E-Islam Quarterly Journal of Islamic and the Muslim World Studies-No.203-204, January-June 2007, ISSN NO-2349-0950

**Title of Article-Tradition of Azadari of Muharrum in Ghazipur District, UP**

19- Article published in Islam Aur asr-I- jaded Zakir Hussain institute of Islamic studies JMI, volume 39, number 1 Jan 2007, ISSN NO-2278-2109

20- Article published in Jamia journal published by Zakir Hussain institute of Islamic studies, JMI

**Title of Article- “Hindustan main Muslim khawatinkitaleem ka aaghaz Aur Irteqa” volume 103 Jan -mar2006, ISSN NO-2278-2095**

21- Article published in Dawat magazine special number” Dec. 2006.

Title of Article- **“Aurat Islam key hawale se**

22- Article published in Islam and Muslim society – a social science journal volume 2, 2006, ISSN NO-0973-2802

Title of paper-**women empowerment in India and its perception among the educated Muslim girls**

23- Article Published in Radha Kamal MukherjiChintanParampara in Hindi Jan –July 2003, ISSN NO-0974-0074,

Title of Paper-**Bharat Mein Nirdhanta, LingBhed, VidyalonkiUplabhddata aur Gunvatta (In Hindi Language)**

24- Article Published in contemporary social work, Department. Of Social Work, Lucknow University April, 2003

25- Article Published in Hum Dalit, Social Action Trust New Delhi Jan 2002

Title- **Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Ka ManavtavadiDrishtikaun (In Hindi) Jan 2002.**

26- Article Published in Paigham-e-Saqlain, New Delhi Aug- Oct 2001

Title of article-KunbekeTahaffuz mein khwateen ka Kirdar

27- Article Published in Dawat, Urdu newspaper 7<sup>th</sup> Aug. 1999

Title-**Elm, Taleem aur Taallum Ki ahmiat**

• **Participation in Workshop/Training Programs/Regional Study Programme-**

1- Participated as Resource Person in Two Day Workshop on “Best Practices in Research: Perspective and Scenario” at R.B.D. Mahilavidyalaya, Bijnor, UP Dated- 10<sup>th</sup> -11<sup>th</sup> February, 2018

**Topic-Emerging Trends in Social Science Research in India**

2- Participated as Resource Person in Three Day Workshop on “**Development of Triangular Dictionary of Sociology for Schools (in English, Hindi and Urdu Language)**” at NCERT, New Delhi Dated- 14<sup>th</sup> March to 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2017

- 3- Participated as Resource Person in Three Day Workshop to review “**Development of Triangular Dictionary of Sociology for Schools (in English, Hindi and Urdu Language)**” at NCERT, New Delhi Dated- 20<sup>th</sup> February to 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 2017
- 4- Participated as Resource Person in Ten Days Workshop for **preparing Glossaries of Sociology (in Urdu Language)** organized by National Translation Mission Date 23<sup>rd</sup> October to 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2013 at Jamia Millia Islamia. Organized by Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, Government of India, Mysore, Karnataka
- 5- Participated as Resource Person in Two Days Workshop on “**Curriculum Development in Sociology**” 16<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> May, 2011, Organized by The Department of Social Work and Sociology, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, UP.
- 6- Asia Foundation, 114 Jorbagh New Delhi (An International Research Organization) nominated to visit Dhaka (Bangladesh) as member of the Regional Study Team from 13.2.2011 to 17.2.2011
- 7- Participated in a Training course on “**The Rights of Muslim Women-Theory and Practice**” Organized by Institute of Islamic Studies, Mumbai (24-26 December 2008)
- 8- Participated in UGC workshop on “**Capacity Building for Women Managers in Higher Education Training of Trainers**” (10-15 December, 2007) Organized by Women’s Studies Research Center, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, Haryana
- 9- Attended two-day workshop on the theme, “**Engaging Women for Women of Faith Engaged in HIV/AIDS Prevention and Care**” Organized by women Of Faith Network and UNICEF at New Delhi (21-22 November 2007)
- 10- Attended one-week workshop sponsored by UGC on **capacity building for women managers in higher education** 13<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> November 2006
- 11- Attended one-month crash course conducted by UGC on **Research Methodology** organized by the Department of Political Science Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi in the Month of March-April 2005.
- 12- Workshop attended as a sociology expert, regarding Urdu translation of NCERT textbook on “**Social change in India**” for class XII (i.e. 13<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> Sept 2004).
- 13- Participated in three **days training Programme on HIV/AIDS** organized by the N.S.S. unit center for community medicine AIIMS, New Delhi in the year 2004.



14- Workshop attended as subject expert regarding Urdu translation, of NCERT Text book on “**Introducing sociology**” for class XI (i.e. from 10<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> August 2004).

15- Workshop attended as a subject expert at NCPUL, Delhi, regarding Urdu Translation of sociology for class XI (i.e. from 26<sup>th</sup> -- 30<sup>th</sup> July 2004).

16- Three days’ workshop attended at Academic Staff College JMI, on **Developing Skills for Research Project**. (20<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> March-04).

17- Two workshops attended at NCERT New Delhi, regarding **Urdu Translation of Sociology text book** for class XI and XII in the year (January & April) 2004.

- **Orientation Programme-**

Completed 78<sup>th</sup> four-week orientation Programme at UGC Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 22<sup>nd</sup> August to 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2006.

- **Refresher Course**

Completed 3<sup>rd</sup> 3-week Refresher Course in Gender Studies (Interdisciplinary) at UGC Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi

Dated-5<sup>th</sup> –27<sup>th</sup> October, 2009.

- **Paper Presentations in International Conferences/Seminars-**

1- Paper presented in two days International Seminar on “Ethnicity and Minority: Debates and Discourse in Contemporary India, Dated-March 15-16, 2018  
Organized by-Maulana Azad National Urdu University, (MANUU), Hyderabad

**Title of Paper- Asna Ashri Shia Muslim Women in India: A Minority within the Minority**

2- Paper presented in two days International Seminar on “Islam and Human Rights”  
Dated-30<sup>th</sup> April to 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2016  
Organized by Al-Mustafa International University, Iran (India Branch) at Jamia Humdard, New Delhi

**Title of Paper- Social Justice for Women in Islam is a Myth or Reality: a South Asian Perspective**

3- Paper presented in Two Day International Conference On ‘Intellectual Crises of the Muslim Umma: Rethinking Traditional Solutions’, Organized by The Center for the Promotion of Educational and Cultural Advancement of Muslims in India (CPECAMI), Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, India, 6-7 April, 2015.

Title of Paper-Dignity of Women in Islam: A study on Halala and Mutah Practice.

- 4- Paper Presented in Two Day International Seminar on Psychology of Trauma: Women and Children in Violent Conflict, March 13-14, 2013  
Organized by Department of Psychology Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi-110025

**Title of Paper – Half Widows in Kashmir -A Study on the Impact of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder on Women**

- 5- Paper Presented in Three Day International Seminar on Status of Muslim Women in Indian Sub-Continent, Date: March 6-8, 2013.

Organized by-The Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, (MANUU) Gachibowli, Hyderabad 500 032, Andhra Pradesh, India

**Title of Paper -Muslim Women and Their Social Exclusion**

- 6- Paper Presented in Two Day International Seminar on Peaceful Coexistence with Focus on Mysticism and Spirituality in Islam and Indian Religions,  
Organized by Al-Mustafa International University (India Branch) At New Delhi, March 11- 12, 2012  
Title of the Paper-Spirituality and Islam: Role of Hazrat Fatima Zahra in the Faith and the World

- 7- Paper Presented In Two Day International Seminar On "Eminent Ladies Of Divine Religion" Organized By The Iranian Secretariat Of The Third Ministerial Conference Of OIC At Islamic Republic Of Iran, Tehran, On 1<sup>st</sup> February To 2<sup>nd</sup> February,2012.

**Title of the Paper-Spirituality and Islam: Role of Hazrat Fatima Zahra (S.A) and Hazrat Maryam in the Faith and the World**

- 8- Paper Presented in Three days International Seminar on The Religious Thought of Maulana Rumi, Organized by the Department of Shia Theology, Aligarh Muslim University, UP on 29 November to 1st December 2010

**Title of the Paper-Maulana Rumi and the Unity of Mankind**

- 9- Paper Presented in Three days International Seminar on Globalizing South Asia at Helsinki University, Finland Dated 27-29 May, 2010.

**Title of the Paper-Muslim Women and Their Representation in South Asian Politics: With Reference to India, Pakistan and Bangladesh**

- 10- Paper presented in two days international Seminar on Universal Discourse: Just Peace & Dara Shikoh Award for Peace at India International Centre New Delhi, organized by indo Iranian society, World Peace Forum Tehran and Iran Culture House.11-12 April, 2010.

**Title of the Paper-Role of peace in Islam with Reference to a Plural Society**

11- Paper Submitted in an International Seminar at Visvabharti, Shanti Niketan 15-17 November 2008, West Bengal

**Title of the Paper- Gender Insensitivity in Reproductive health care of Muslim**

**Women**

12- Paper presented in four days international conference at SNDT Women's University, Mumbai

Organizer-- Iqra International Women's Alliance 7-10 November 2008

**Title of the Paper- Education and Empowerment of Women in Islam**

13- Paper Presented in Four Days International Seminar at Indira Gandhi Centre for the Arts, New Delhi

**Title of the Paper- Tradition of Azadari of Muharrum with Reference to Marginalized Muslim Women 1- 4th April 2008**

14- Paper presented at Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan Pakistan in an International conference on the role of Women in Nation building, 10-12 Nov. 2005

**Title of the paper – Perception of Empowerment among Educated Muslim Girls**

• **Research Paper Presentations in National Conferences/Seminar/Social Science Congress-**

1- Paper presented in two days First National Urdu Social Science at Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, Telangana, Dated-14<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> December, 2017

**Title of Paper- “Urdu Zaban mein Samaji Uloom ki Tadrees o Tahqeeq se Jude Masael”**

2- Paper presented in two days National Seminar on “Challenges of Muslim Girls in Higher Education: Patriarchy, Policy or Poverty” Dated-6th-7th February 2018. Organized by-Sarojini Naidu Centre for Women's Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi

**Title of Paper- Marginalization of Muslim Girls in Higher Education: A Sociological Analysis on Issues and Challenges**

3- Paper presented in two days National Seminar on Social Violence and Social Exclusion at Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, Telangana,

Dated - 27-28 March, 2017

**Title of Paper-Muslim Women and their Social exclusion: A Sociological Study on Infertility**

- 4- Paper presented in All India Conference of Indian Social Science Association, Department of Sociology, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, On Rethinking Development: Social Development Today *State, Industry, Civil Society in India*, Dated 10-11 February 2017

**Title of Paper-Muslim Women and Social Development: The Issue of Social Justice, Equality, Security, Dignity and Identity in South Asia**

- 5- Paper presented in Adhoc Groups RC- Ethnicity and Minority Studies, Indian Sociological Society, 41st All-India Sociological Conference, On Development, Marginalization and People's Movements, December 27-29, 2015, Organized by Department of Sociology & Social Work Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences KiiT University, Bhubaneswar -751024, Odisha, India

**Title of Paper-Issues Related to Livelihood, Development and Exclusion of Marginalized Women**

- 6- Paper presented in RC-10: Gender Studies, Indian Sociological Society 41st All-India Sociological Conference On Development, Marginalization and People's Movements December 27-29, 2015 Organized by Department of Sociology & Social Work Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences, KiiT University, Bhubaneswar -751024, Odisha, India

**Title of Paper - Revisiting the Idea of Gender Equality in Islam: A Sociological Analysis of Marriage Related Laws for Muslim Women in India**

- 7- Paper presented in National Seminar on "Shifting Paradigm: Re-Envisioning Minority issues and Minority Studies in India "Organized by "Ethnicity & Minority Studies" (Ad-Hoc Group) Indian Sociological society & Department of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, September 8-9, 2015

**Title of Paper-Infertility as a Form of Social Exclusion among Muslim Women in India: A Sociological Study**

- 8- Paper Presented in National Seminar on Gender Based Violence –Exploring Islamic Solutions Organized by Islamic Relief India and SNCWS, JMI.

**Title of Paper- "Marriage Related Rules for Muslim Women in India: A sociological Analysis" Dated-1-2 April, 2015**

- 9- Paper presented in National Seminar on "Women education in minority communities"

Sponsored by Ministry of Minority Affairs, Govt. of India at Institute of Cooperative Management Dehradun, Uttarakhand 26<sup>th</sup> February 2015

**Title of Paper-Education of Muslim Girls: Educational Issues and Challenges in India**

- 10- Paper presented in Two Day National Seminar, Under UGC Scheme of Promotion of Ethics and Values in Human Rights Education on Human Rights Education: Issues and Challenges dated 21 & 22 February, 2015 at D.B.S. PG College, Dehradun Uttarakhand

**Title of Paper- Violence against Married Women in India: Challenges and Future Trends**

- 11- Paper presented in Two Day Rajasthan Sociological Association XXI National Conference on 'Social Exclusion and Inclusive Development', Organized by Department of Sociology and Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, on 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2014, at University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.

**Title of paper-Socio-Economic Exclusion of Marginalized Women**

- 12- Paper presented in Two Day National Seminar On 'Globalization, Multiculturalism and Peace Building in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Prospects and Challenges', Organized by India logue Foundation(Turkey), Interfaith Foundation India and CSSS, JNU on 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> April 2014, at Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

**Title of paper- Role of Islamic Teachings to Maintain the Culture of Co-existence**

- 13- Paper presented in One Day National Interfaith Colloquium On 'Interfaith Dialogue: Towards a Better Society, Organized by Department of Islamic Studies Jamia Millia Islamia and Interfaith Foundation India, at Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi, on 31 October, 2013.

**Title of paper - Muslim Women in Interfaith Dialogue: Their Role for peace Building and Gender Equality**

- 14- Paper presented in one Day Symposium -India Launch of UNESCO Chair and Symposium on Fostering Social Responsibility in Higher Education, December 10, 2012, jointly organized by Jamia Millia Islamia & PRIA, New Delhi.

**Title of Paper- Jamia Millia Islamia: A Partner in the Fostering of Social Responsibility**

- 15- Paper presented in Two Day National Seminar On Gender, Law and Social Transformation in India, Organized by Indian Sociological Society, Centre for the

Study of Social Exclusion & Inclusive Policy and Centre for Women's Studies, University of Hyderabad, 17<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2012, at University of Hyderabad.

**Title of Paper- Gender disparity in Education of Muslim Girls: A study on facts and illusions in India**

16- Paper presented in Two-day UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Right to Information Act 2005: Its Use, overuse and misuse, Organized by Shia P.G. College, Lucknow UP, dated-22 & 23 October 2010.

**Title of the Research Paper-Right to Information: A study on gaps and awareness of marginalized Muslim women**

17- Paper presented in Two-day National Seminar on Gender, Empowerment and the State Organized by Institute of Development Studies, Kolkata, West Bengal, 10-11 December 2009

**Title of the Research Paper-Reaching the Unreached: A study on the Empowerment of Muslim Women in Delhi city.**

18- Paper presented in Two-day National Seminar on Human Rights and Social Security in The Age of Globalization Organized by the UGC Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi 24-25 November 2009.

**Title of the Paper-Human Rights in Islam Pertaining to Women: Facts and Illusion**

19- Paper presented in Two-days national Seminar on Muslim Alienation: Manifesto and Challenges Organized by the Department of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi 17-18 November 2009.

**Research Paper Title- Mapping Cultural Mindscapes: A Sociological Study of Okhla, New Delhi, Muslim Ghetto**

20- Paper Presented in two-day workshop on the theme "Engaging Women of faith in HIV/AIDS prevention and care"

**Title of the Paper- The Role of Muslim Women towards Prevention and Care of HIV/AIDS**

Organizers- Shanti Ashram, Women of faith network, South Asia Inter-Religious Council and Amity Humanity Foundation & UNICEF in Delhi 21 -22nd November 2007.

21- Paper presented at Iran culture house in a symposium on importance of women education in different religion 7<sup>th</sup> July 2007.

**Title of the paper- Concept of Female Education in Islam; with Special Reference to Islamic Republic of Iran**

- 22- Paper presented in three-day national conference at Raj Rishi College Alwar Rajasthan organized by Rajasthan sociological association 15<sup>th</sup> all India Conference on science technology and society 21- 23 Dec 2006

**Title of the Paper-Reproductive health status of Muslim women: A Sociological study of ShaheenBagh Jamia Nagar New Delhi.**

- 23- Paper presented Iran Culture House in two days National Seminar on the tradition of Azadari of Muharrum in India 18<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup> Nov 2006.

**Title of the paper – The Tradition of Azadari of Muharrum in Ghazipur District, UP**

- 24- Paper presented in a symposium organized by ShaheedMutahhari Educational Society New Delhi on 27<sup>th</sup> Aug 2006.

**Title of the paper – Status of Women in Muslim Society**

- 25- Paper Presented at Aligarh Muslim University in two days National Seminar on education among Indian Muslims, Role of Society and state (14-15 February –2006)

**Title of the Paper- Education of Muslim Girls and gender discrimination**

- 26- Paper Presented in two days national Seminar organized by Women Commission New Delhi on 7-8 August 2004.

**Title of the Paper-The Role of Education in Raising the Status of Muslim Women**

• **Seminars/Colloquium/Symposium/Workshop Organized-**

- 1- Organized a symposium on “**Educational Development of Women in India and Iran: Issues and Challenges**” on 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2016 at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi in collaboration with Department of Sociology, JMI and Culture House of Islamic Republic of Iran, Tilak Marg New Delhi.
- 2- Organized Two Day National Seminar on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2011, At Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on **Urban Living and Communal Harmony**, Sponsored By National Foundation For Communal Harmony, Ministry Of Home Affairs, GOI, New Delhi
- 3- Organized Two Day National Seminar on 8-9<sup>th</sup> March, 2011 at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi

**Title-Muslim Women and Their Contribution in Society, Sponsored By National Commission for Women, New Delhi**

- 4- Organized One Day Workshop on “**Demilitarization, Disarmament and Peace**” on 14<sup>th</sup> September 2010 at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
- 5- Organized Two Days Colloquium on “Everyday Life, Ordinary People and extraordinary Times” 20-21 November 2009, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi Sponsored by Aman Trust, New Delhi
- 6- Organized One Day National Seminar on “the Role of Muslim Women towards Prevention and Care of HIV/AIDS” 19<sup>th</sup> February 2008, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
- 7- Organized one-day national seminar on Muslim women: “A disempowered entity...?” at Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi in collaboration with Muslim Women’s Forum New Delhi (14<sup>th</sup> March 2007).

- **Special Accomplishments-**

- 1- Associated with Radio Jamia 90.4 FM.
- 2- Student advisor for the B.A. II Year (2005-06 and 2007-08.)
- 3- Student advisor of the Department of Sociology Jamia Millia Islamia for the year 2005-06.
- 4- Participated in different socio, cultural activities, during studies and teaching (Debate, Mushaira, Ghazal etc.)

- **Contribution in Corporate Life/Administrative Positions-**

- 1- Warden of Begum Anis Kidwai Hall of girl’s Residence, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi. From 2014 till date.
- 2- Assistant Superintendent of Examination Annual and Entrance Examinations, 2014-15 and 2015-16, 2016-17.
- 3- Placement coordinator, Department. Of Sociology, JMI, 2010 to 2015(June).
- 4- Appointed as Member Central Admission and Monitoring Committee, Jamia Millia Islamia, 2011 to 2014(Four Years).
- 5- Member of Flying Squad 2007 to 2014



- 6- Assigned Additional Duties of Assistant Proctor for the Session 2007 to 2014.
  - 7- Organized inter university skit competition on the occasion of Jamia Talimimela Nov 2006
  - 8- In the examiner's Panel of Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi for the past Twelve Years which involves setting of Sociology Papers, Hindi and Urdu translation and evaluation of the same for Ph.D, under Graduate and Post Graduate Levels.
  - 9- Member of Advisory Board, Jamia Community Radio 90.4 FM
  - 10- Member of Admission Committee for the B.A course 2007-08
  - 11- Appointed as Member of Jamia Cultural Committee for the year 2005-06
  - 12- Appointed member of Jamia Talimimela committee 2006.
- **Membership-**
    - 1- Member of Indian Muslim Scientist Association Jogabai Ext. New Delhi.
    - 2- Member of Sociological Association, New Delhi.
    - 3- Member of Rajasthan sociological association.
    - 4- Member of editorial board-journal of research (Humanities) Bahauddin Zakariya University Multan Pakistan.
    - 5- Honorary Secretary of Muslim Women's Forum, New Delhi.
    - 6- Member All India Democratic Women Association ( AIDWA)
  - **Scholarship/ Fellowship/Trainer UGC -**
    - 1- Sherwani scholarship for the year of 1980-81, Hamidia Girls Inter College, Allahabad.
    - 2- Merit scholarship and certificate for the year of 1985-86, Gorakhpur University.
    - 3- Trained Manager of UGC Capacity Building for Women Managers in Higher Education Training of Trainers (2007),Kurukshetra University, Haryana
  - **International Recognition and Awards**

- 1- Recognition award conferred by Al Mustafa International University (India Branch) Islamic Republic of Iran in the year, 2012.
  - 2- Received Award by the Iranian Secretariat of the Women Ministerial Conference of OIC at Islamic Republic Of Iran, Tehran, February 2012
  - 3- Honour Award by Bahauddin Zakariya University Multan, Pakistan November 2005
- **International Participation/Invitation-**
    - 1- Invited by The Iranian Secretariat to take part as speaker in The Third Ministerial Conference of OIC at Islamic Republic of Iran, Tehran (1<sup>st</sup> February To 2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2012)
    - 2- Asia Foundation, 114 Jorbagh New Delhi (An International Research Organization) Invited to visit Dhaka, Bangladesh as a member of the Regional Study Team (13.2.2011 to 17.2.2011)
    - 3- Helsinki University, Finland invited in Three day International Seminar on Globalizing South Asia (27-29 May, 2010)
    - 4- Invited by Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan Pakistan in an International conference 10-12, November, 2005
  - **Association with NCERT and NCPUL-**
    - 1- Translated Dictionary of Sociology in Urdu Prepared by NCERT for class 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017
    - 2- Translated Sociology Text Book of NCERT for class 12<sup>th</sup> in Urdu Language, 2006
    - 3- Title of Book-Introducing Sociology, ISBN No-81-7450-533-4.
    - 4- Member of Social Science Panel from-2014 till today. My three books in Sociology, Published(2017,2018 and 2019) by National Council for the Promotion of Urdu Languages (NCPUL) a Unit of MHRD, New Delhi.
  - **Session Chaired/Coordinated/Discussant/Panelist in Seminar-**
    - 1- Chaired a session in Two Day Workshop on “**Best Practices in Research: Perspective and Scenario**” at R.B.D. Mahilavidyalaya, Bijnor, UP Dated- 10<sup>th</sup> -11<sup>th</sup> February, 2018

- 2- Session Chaired in Two Day National Seminar on Social Violence and Social Exclusion at Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, Telangana, Dated - 27-28 March, 2017  
Theme of the Session-“**Issues and Concerns in accessing Education, Employment, Housing Food and Health**”
  - 3- Discussant in Two Days National Seminar on “**Gender and Violence: A Challenge for Equitable Society**” Organized by Department. Of Sociology, JMI in Collaboration with RC-10(Gender Studies) of Sociological Society, on 15-16 October 2014 at Jamia Millia Islamia.
  - 4- A session coordinator in Two Day National Seminar on 3<sup>rd</sup> And 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2011, At Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on “**Urban Living and Communal Harmony, Sponsored By National Foundation For Communal Harmony**”, Ministry Of Home Affairs, GOI, New Delhi.
  - 5- A session coordinator in Two Day National Seminar on 8-9<sup>th</sup> March, 2011 at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi  
Title-“**Muslim Women and Their Contribution in Society, Sponsored By National Commission for Women**”, New Delhi
  - 6- A session coordinator in One Day Workshop on Demilitarization, Disarmament and Peace on 14<sup>th</sup> September 2010 at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
  - 7- A session coordinator Two Days Colloquium on ‘Everyday Life, Ordinary People and extraordinary Times 20-21 November 2009, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi Sponsored by Aman Trust, New Delhi
  - 8- A session coordinator in One Day National Seminar on ‘the Role of Muslim Women towards Prevention and Care of HIV/AIDS’ 19<sup>th</sup> February 2008, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
  - 9- A session coordinator in one-day national seminar on Muslim women: ‘A disempowered entity...?’ at Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi in collaboration with Muslim women’s Forum New Delhi (14<sup>th</sup> March 2007)
- **Lectures/Talks Delivered at National/ International Conference/ Seminar/ Workshop/International summit/ Training Programmes/Extension Lectures/ Lectures at UGC Academic Staff College-**
- 1- Delivered an invited lecture at Dr.Bhim Rao Ambedkar University ,Agra in the Department of Sociology on 30.11.2019 at 2pm in Seminar Lecture Room  
**Topic-Current Debates on Social Science Research: Issues and Challenges**

- 2- Delivered an extension lecture at Sarojini Naidu Women Study Centre, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi  
**Topic- “Family and Gender: A critical Analysis” Dated: -16<sup>th</sup>Nov, 2015.**
- 3- Delivered a lecture on the topic- **“Violence against Married Women in India: Challenges and Future Trends”** Dated: 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2015  
International Summer School Department of Political Science Jamia Millia Islamia and Ministry of Tourism, GOI
- 4- Delivered a lecture at Dehradun on the topic **“Violence against married women: Issues and Challenges among Women in Indian Society”** Dated: 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2015
- 5- Delivered a lecture in CSR’s event ‘Youth Contribution to the Beijing+20 Review Debate’ hosted by The Department of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia and Centre for Social Research, N.D  
**Topic-Women Empowerment: Issues and challenges Dated-14<sup>th</sup> November, 2014.**
- 6- Delivered a lecture title **“Issues and challenges in Indian society: with reference to gender and religion”**for International Summer School as a part of Sociology Course module at the session, hosted by Department of Political Science Jamia Millia Islamia,4<sup>th</sup> July,2014.
- 7- Delivered lecture in International Summer School hosted by Jamia Millia Islamia and Ministry of Tourism, GOI  
**Topic-Illiteracy and Modern Education in India: Issues and challenges”, June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2013**
- 8- Delivered a lecture in National Training Programme on-“Empowering Women Organizers.” Organized by- V. V. Giri National Labour Institute, NOIDA  
**Topic- Women Leaders in Informal Sectors: Experiences and Future Directions**  
Dated-31.1.2013, Session-10-00 A.M to 1.00 PM
- 9- Delivered lecture in7<sup>th</sup> 3-Week Refresher Course in Human Rights &Social Inclusion (Interdisciplinary) Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi-25  
**Topic- “Women Empowerment: Policies and Issues”** Dated: 30th November, 2011
- 10- Resource Person in Two Days Workshop 16<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> May, 2011 Workshop on “Curriculum Development in Sociology” Department of Sociology and Social work Aligarh Muslim University, UP.
- 11- Resource Person in Two Days Sangamam Leadership Summit (18<sup>th</sup> April to 20<sup>th</sup> April, 2010 Two Days Sangamam International Leadership Summit Shanti Ashram, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, UNICEF, NFCH.

**12-** Delivered a lecture on the topic, **“Reaching the Unreached: The development agenda for the marginalized Muslim women”** in a National Workshop at Nehru Study Centre, on 12<sup>th</sup> April 2010 at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.

**13-** Resource Person in One Day Workshop on Demilitarization, Disarmament and Peace Theme-Women and peace, dated-14<sup>th</sup> September 2010 at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi. Department. Of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi and Shanti Ashram, Coimbatore Tamil Nadu.

**14-** Title-Women perspective on conflict issues 20-21 November, 2009 Two Days Colloquium on **‘Everyday Life, Ordinary People and Extraordinary Times’**, Department of Sociology, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi and Aman Trust, New Delhi.

**15-** Invited by Jamia Radio 90.4 FM to deliver lectures on Gender issues, Muslim Women, empowerment, education and health since 2010 till today.

**16-** Delivered a lecture on the topic **“Muslim Women and their role towards prevention and care of HIV/AIDS: An Islamic perspective”** in one-day Workshop on **‘The Role of Muslim Women towards Prevention and Care of HIV/AIDS’** on 19<sup>th</sup> February, 2008 at Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.

**17-** Delivered lectures/talks on radio and television channels till today

- **Other Academic Contributions-**

Article Published in National Urdu, Hindi and English News Papers and in National Magazines on the topics-

Women and Empowerment

Interfaith dialogue and its role for peaceful co-existence in society

South Asian Communities

Education and Marginalized Communities in India

Socio-Cultural social issues

Women and Urdu Writing

- **Country Visited for Academic Purpose-**

1-Bangladesh

2-Estonia

3-Finland-University of Helsinki

4-Iran-Tehran, Mashhad and Qum

5-Pakistan- Lahore and Multan

➤ **Ph. D Awarded under my supervision**

- 1- Abortion: A Comparative Study of East Delhi and Sheohar District of Bihar  
Md. Ehtesham Akhtar. Ph.D degree awarded in 2012
- 2- Attitude of Muslims towards Family Planning: A Comparative Study of Educated and Uneducated Muslims of Delhi.  
S.M. Shariq Abbas. Ph.D degree awarded in 2013
- 3- Primary Education in a Kashmir Village: A Sociological Study.  
Fayaz Ahmad Bhatt. Ph.D Degree Awarded in 2014

➤ **M.Phil Awarded under my Supervision-**

- 1-Limits and Possibilities of Inclusive Education: A Sociological Study of Visually Challenged Students  
Mafuza Yasmin M.Phil Degree awarded in, 2019

➤ **Post-Doctoral Fellow–(PDF) of ICSSR under my supervision-**

- 1- Dr. Fayaz Ahmad Bhatt Pursuing PDF On The Topic-

“Quality Concerns in School Education: A Comparative Study On Public And Private Schools in Kashmir” (2017)

**Students Pursuing Ph.D under my Supervision**

- Nikhil Kumar  
Topic-Comparative Study of Hindu and Islamic Fundamentalism in Varanasi  
Year of Registration-2015
- Jawed Akhtar  
Topic-Social World and Coping Mechanism: Everyday life of Muslims in North India  
Year of Registration, 2015
- Amina Shabbir  
Topic-Portrayal of Women in Media and Associated Social Perception  
Year of Registration-2015
- Shah Khatoon  
Topic-The Role of Solar Energy in Improving the Socio-Economic Condition of Rural Women, Understanding the Gender Energy Nexus: A Case Study of Zaskar Valley in Ladakh,  
Year of Registration, 2016

- Mafuza Yasmin  
Topic-Disability, Health and Education: Mapping Social Inclusion

Year of Registration-2019

- **Students pursuing M.Phil under my Supervision**

Bhat Khalid

Topic-Understanding Violence and its Impact on Families in the Kashmir Valley: A Sociological Study

Year of Registration, 2017

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