# Curriculum Vitae

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#### **ACADEMIC PROFILE:**

Ph.D. (Sociology) from Department of Sociology, University of Delhi on "Delay in Justice: A Sociological Study of Under-trial Prisoners in Jammu and Kashmir with Special Reference to Central Jail Srinagar" awaiting award.

M. Phil. (Sociology) from Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh. (2010).

Master of Arts (Sociology) from Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh (2008).

Bachelor of Arts from Government Degree College Boys' Baramulla, University of Kashmir, Srinagar (2005).

#### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:**

Presently working as Project Fellow on "Centre with Potential for Excellence in Particular Areas" at the Centre for Culture, Media and Governance, Jamia Millia Islamia University.

Worked on Departmental Research Support (Special Assistance Programme) as Secretarial Assistant at the Centre for Culture, Media and Governance, Jamia Millia Islamia as well as assisted coordinator in coordinating MOOCs programme at the said Centre.

Worked as field investigator on "Socio-Economic and Educational Condition of Muslims in a Majority Concentration of District of Uttar Pradesh: A Survey of District Etah" at the Centre for Promotion of Educational and Cultural Advancement of Muslims in India, Aligarh Muslim University in June 2008.

Worked as field researcher on "Development Deficit among Muslim Slum Dwellers of Aligarh City" at the Centre for Promotion of Educational and Cultural Advancement of Muslims in India, Aligarh Muslim University, in October 2010.

Worked as field investigator in a Major Research Project on "Migration, Health and Sexuality: A Sociological Study of Migrant Construction Labourers in the Urban Settings of Western Uttar Pradesh" at the Department of Sociology and Social Work, Aligarh Muslim University during 2009-2011.

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

## **Certificate/Diploma Courses:**

National Council for Promotion of Urdu Language – One Year Diploma in Computer Applications and Multilingual DTP, through Ministry of Human Resource Development, (Department of Secondary and Higher Education), Government of India, at Comtech Computer Education in 2001-2002.

One Year Certificate Course in Social Work, at Government Degree College (Boys'), Baramulla.

# **Conferences, Seminars and Workshops:**

Participated in National Seminar on Minority Education in India: Issues of Access, Equity and Inclusion organized by Centre for Promotion of Educational and Cultural Advancement of Muslims in India, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh, in March 2009.

Participated and presented a paper on Atrocious Crime of Child Labour in XXXV All India Sociological Conference organized by Indian Sociological Society at University of Kashmir, Hazratbal, Srinagar in October 2009.

Participated and presented a paper on Problems of Under-trials in Jammu and Kashmir in XXXVI All India Sociological Conference organized by Indian Sociological Society at Ravenshaw University, Cuttack, Orissa in December 2010.

Participated and presented a paper on Crime against Women in India: an Analysis in the *National Conference on Population, Resource and Environment* organized by *Department of Geography, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh*, in March 2011.

Participated and presented a paper on Caught in the Storm: Sexual Violence against Women in Jammu and Kashmir – A Sociological Analysis in XXXVII All India Sociological Conference organized by Jawahar Lal Nehru University, New Delhi in December 2011.

Participated and completed successfully Certificate Course in Socio-Legal Research Methods, Workshop organized by Centre for Civil and Criminal Justice Administration, National Law Institute University, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh in October 2009.

### **Publications:**

"Gilani, Ajaz Ahmad, (2016) Ethnographic research in prison: Descriptions, observations and suggestions from the field. International Journal of English Language, Literature and Humanities Vol. IV, Issue X (October, 2016), pp. 74-88, ISSN: 2321-7065"