

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

PHD HISTORY (2020)
THESIS “*WATER BODIES IN KASHMIR HISTORY*”
UNIVERSITY OF KASHMIR
M.PHIL HISTORY (2015)
DISSERTATION “*WULLAR AND ITS ROLE IN HISTORY*”
UNIVERSITY OF KASHMIR
TEACHING SPECIALIZATION: MODERN WORLD, ENVIRONMENTAL
HISTORY, ANCIENT INDIAN HISTORY

AWARDS

STATE ELIGIBILITY TEST (2016)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

CONTRACTUAL TEACHER, DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, UNIVERSITY
OF KASHMIR, SRINAGAR, 190006 (MARCH, 2018 TILL PRESENT)

MORE THAN SIX YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN TEACHING MODERN
WORLD HISTORY AT PG LEVEL

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

A) Research Articles

1. *Floods in South Asia: State Response to Floods in Ancient Kashmir*, in Proceedings of South Asian History Congress, Department of

- History, Punjabi University Patiala, 4th session, ISBN: 978-81-302-0470-3, 2017
2. *Historical Profile of Fisherwomen in Kashmir*, In International Journal of Creative Research Thoughts, Vol. 5, Issue, 4, December 2017, ISSN: 2320-2882
 3. *Calamitous Events in Kashmir History (16th -19th Century): Description of Earthquakes, Famines and Fires in contemporary sources*, in, Glimpses (A peer reviewed multidisciplinary journal), Ulrich, USA, Vol.7, No.1, December 2017.
 4. *Environmental History of Kashmir: A Study of Change in the size of Wullar Lake in Historical Perspective*, in Wesleyan Journal of Research, Vol 14, No. 2 (February 2021), ISSN: 0975-1386.
 5. *Religion and Environmental Concern: Role of Sufi Saints and Reshis in Kashmir*, in Flusser studies, UGC Care Listed Journal, Vol. 30, ISSN: 1661-5719.
 6. *British Intervention: A Blessing for Kashmir*, in International Journal for Advanced Research, Vol.5, Issue July, 2017. ISSN: 2320-5407
 7. *Common Property Resources and Rural People: A Study of Wullar Lake Kashmir*, in Kashmir History Review, Department of History, University of Kashmir, Vol. I, Issue. I, ISBN: 81-901706-1-9.
 8. *Living Separately Yet Together: Hindu and Muslim in Kashmir*, in North Asian International Research Journal of Social Science and Humanities, Vol. 4, Issue 2, February. 2018, ISSN: 2454-9827.
 9. *Beyond the Domestic Chores: Adventures of Women in the History of Ancient Kashmir*, in Asian Journal of Science and Technology, Vol. 8, Issue. 8. August, 2017, ISSN: 0976-3376
 10. *Taming the Water Bodies: State Response to the Floods in Ancient Kashmir*, in, Sambodhi UGC Care Journal, Vol. 44, NO.1 (1), January-March, 2021, ISSN: 2249-6661.
 11. *Liquid Histories: Significance of River Jhelum in the Transport History of Kashmir*, in Oriental Research Madras, ISSN: 0022-3301
 12. *Water Bodies and State: A Comparative Study of Pre-Mughal and Mughal State in the Agrarian History of Kashmir*, in Bengal Past and Present, ISSN: 0005-8807.
 13. *Garden Landscape Practices in Medieval Kashmir*, in George Washington Journal, USA, ISSN: 1534-9977.

14. *Role of Wullar Lake in the Rural History of Kashmir*, in *The Journal of Oriental Research Madras*, Vol. XCIII-II, 2016. ISSN NO: 0022-3301
15. *Beyond the Imperial Grandeur: Animal and Bird Behaviour in Mughal Accounts of Kashmir*, in *Bengal Past and Present* Vol. 139, Issue III. ISSN NO: 0005-8807.
16. *Botanical Culture in Kashmir (1586-1628)*, in *Kashmir Journal of Social Sciences*, Vol. 9, 2021, ISSN NO: 0975-6620.

B) Books and Book Chapters

1. *Wular in History: An Eco-Biography of a Lake*, JAY KAY Books, Srinagar, 2023, ISSN NO: 978-81-969607-3-5
2. *Natural History of Kashmir: Mughal Tryst with the Regions Fauna*, in M.Y. Ganai, Shiraz Ahmad and M. Ibrahim, *Kashmir Past and Present*, JAY KAY Books, 2020, 978-81-946055-0-8.
3. *Flood Management works in Ancient Kashmir*, in *Rahul Kumar, Relooking Past*, Rudra Publishers & Distributors (1 January 2021), ISBN: 978-8195250271
4. *Composite Culture of Kashmir as Reflected in Water Beliefs*, in M.Y. Ganai et al, *Kashmir in Historical Perspective*, JAY KAY Books, Srinagar, 2017, ISBN-978-93-83908-92-9.

Conferences/Seminars Attended

1. Participated in three-day National seminar on “*Syncretic Culture in India with special reference to Kashmir*” Organized by Department of History, University of Kashmir, in collaboration with ICHR from 02 Nov. 2023 to 05 Nov. 2023.
2. Participated in “One-Week Research Methodology Workshop in History”, Organized by Department of History, University of Kashmir, from 27-08-2021 to 02-09-2021.
3. Participated in a webinar lecture on “*Kashmir and Kashmiriyat: A Historical Perspective*” delivered by Prof. Rattan Lal Hangloo, former Vice-Chancellor, University of Allahabad and organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Cluster University,

Srinagar on 27th August, 2020.

4. Participated in a webinar lecture on “*Revisiting the History and Literature of the Jallianwala Bagh Massacre (1919)*” held on 13 August, 2019, organized by Department of History, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, Punjab.
5. Participated in 51th session of Punjab History Conference Organized by Department of History Punjabi University Patiala, from 15-17 March, 2019.
6. Participated and presented a talk on “Archaeology as a Source of Global History with Special Reference to Ancient Kashmir” in two-day seminar at Women’s college Anantnag, organized by IPPRD from 17-18 April, 2018.
7. Participated in 50th session of Punjab History Conference Organized by Department of History Punjabi University Patiala, from 23-25 February, 2018.
8. Participated in World Heritage Week 2017, Celebrations Organized by Directorate of Tourism, Kashmir in collaboration with Department of Management Studies, University of Kashmir and INTACH, Kashmir Chapter, from 19th- 25th November, 2017.
9. Participated in three-day National seminar on “Composite Culture in Indian History with Special Reference to Kashmir” Organized by Department of History University of Kashmir, from 28-30 October, 2017.
10. Participated in three-day 1st Young Scholars Conference, Organized by Institute of Kashmir Studies, University of Kashmir, from 4th -6th September, 2017.
11. Participated in Fourth South Asian History Conference, Organized Department of History, Punjabi University, Patiala, 07-09 September, 2016.
12. Participated in 48th session of Punjab History Conference Organized by Department of History Punjabi University Patiala, from 4-6 March 2016.
13. Participated in three-day National seminar on “Perspectives on the History of Jammu and Kashmir (1846-1947)” Organized by Department of History University of Kashmir, from 28-30 November, 2015.

14. Participated in Third South Asian History Conference, Organized Department of History, Punjabi University, Patiala, 16-18 October, 2015.
15. Participated in Second South Asian History Conference, Organized Department of History, Punjabi University, Patiala, 16-18 October, 2014.
16. Participated in three-day international seminar on “Mughal Gardens of Kashmir: Towards UNESCO World Heritage Nomination” Organized by INTAC JK, and University of Kashmir, from 14-16 May 2011.
17. Participated in three-day National seminar on “Tradition and Dissent in Indian History with special reference to Kashmir” Organized by Department of History University of Kashmir, from 24-26 March 2011.

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