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## Curriculum Vit ge

#### **Present Position:**

- 1. Chairperson Council of Trustees International Muslim Women Union IMWU, an NGO with ECOSOC status in United Nations.
- 2. Member of the National Commission for Human Development (NCHD).
- 3. Member Board of Directors Ghazali Education Trust.
- 4. Member Dawah Advisory Council International Islamic University Islamabad.
- 5. Trustee, **Women Aid Trust,** WAT is a non Governmental organization (NGO striving for women's uplift besides providing legal aid to the imprisoned Women.
- 6. Member of the Board of Trustees International Muslim Women Union (IMWU).
- 7. International Ambassador AL- Khidmat Foundation Pakistan.
- 8. Member of the board of Trustees **"KHAWATEEN TRUST**" which provides Micro credit Schemes for Women.
- 9. Trustee of Global Association of Muslim Women.
- 10. Director Foreign Affairs (Jamaat e- Islami Women Wing).
- 11. Member of MMA Women Wing.

#### **Position Held:**

- 1. Former Member of the National Assembly (MNA) of Pakistan.
- 2. Former only Female Member of Council of Islamic Ideology.(A Constitutional Body of Government of Pakistan for Legislation According to Islamic Principles)
- 3. Former Member National Public Safety Commission.
- 4. Former Member of Parliamentary Committee of Cabinet Secretariat.
- 5. Former Member of Parliamentary Committee of Government Assurances.

- 6. Former Member of Parliamentary Committee on Youth Affairs.
- 7. Former Member of the Mediation Committee of Parliament for PEMRA.
- 8. Former Member of Parliamentary committee for Earthquake Relief.
- 9. Secretary General Women and Family Commission ESSAM Turkey.
- 10. Former Organizer of the International Women Parliamentarians Peace Committee.
- 11. Member AL-Khidmat Khawatteeen Trust.
- 12. Member of Bazm-i-Iqbal, Aiwan-e-Iqbal Lahore.
- 13. Secretary General all Political Parties Forum Pakistan.
- 14. Former President Women and Family Commission (Jamaat e Islami Pakistan).
- 15. Former Vice President Political Cell (Jamaat-e-Islami Women Wing).
- 16. Parliamentary Incharge of Ji Women Wing.

#### **Educational Qualification:**

- > Graduation from **Punjab University**.
- Holds first class First Master degree in Islamic Studies with first position from Baluchistan University.
- > Dr, of Philosophy From the University of Punjab, Lahore, Pakistan topic "Family system in Islam and Contemporary Challenges"

#### **Professional training:**

- Attended various training workshops being a Parliamentarian and Human Rights activist.
- > Successfully completed short courses in Capacity Building workshops for Parliamentarians.
- Completed course on National Security from National Defense University Islamabad.
- > Completed a course on Foreign policy at PILDAT Pakistan.
- > Completed two years National Women Guard Training, with distinction in drill. This training was an optional feature of twelve year schooling in Pakistan.
- Attended 40 days certificate course in Tajweed, Qirat and Quranic Understating at
- > jamia Mansoorah Lahore.
- Successfully completed short courses in Arabic and Persian Languages.

#### **Awards and Souvenirs:**

- ➤ 4 times in a row, **among 50 Powerful women** of Pakistan, a survey on International Women's day 8<sup>th</sup> March 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 by "The News media group of Pakistan.
- Awarded as a remarkable Muslim women in **Uskudar Istanbul on 8th March 2017**
- Among 100 women who shake Pakistan A survey by International renowned weekly "News-WEEK" March 21, 2011 issue..
- Among Pakistan's 40 Famous Women. A survey by renowned monthly of Pakistan "Urdu Digest" Jan 2012
- Award for highlighting the Muslim women and family issues by the "Insane ve Medenyet Hareketi Istanbul Turkey 2014.
- > Award for Women and Family contribution by Islamic Center Oslo Norway 2014.
- ➤ Best performance award for women and family and other legislation in the 12<sup>th</sup> National ASSEMBLY OF Pakistan for the session 2002 07.
- Certificate of recognition from International Muslims women NGOs Network Iran, 2008.
- ➤ Recognition of services for the Promotion of Higher Education by **University of Management** and **Technology**, 2008.
- Award given by Ministry of Women Development Malaysia, at IMWU conference in 2007.
- > Award for the Women and Family Emancipation by ESSAM, Istanbul, Turkey, 2006.
- > Award for accreditation of services in Tsunami and Earthquake Relief programs.
- Recognition for the best Performance by "The News" (English Daily) for the year 2006.
- Souvenir by Pakistan **Administrative Staff College Lahore**.
- Award by Ministry of Women Development Government of Pakistan on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2003 (Women's day).
- ➤ Inner Wheel Club Lahore award 1998-99.
- Award from Management of BKMT, Indonesia, July 2001.
- Many Awards and Certificates in National and International Conferences.

#### **Teaching Experience:**

- ➤ Had been teaching Islamic Studies and Persian Language at Wise College for women Gulberg Lahore. This leading private sector integrated educational network offers postgraduate degrees in various disciplines in affiliation with University of the Punjab.
- > Delivered Lectures on different national and international issues, Women rights and Family issues at UN organizations at National **Defense University**, **NIPA**, **Public Policy Staff College** as well as at different educational institution across Pakistan.

## NGOs Work Experience and Responsibilities:

- ➤ Participated in different sessions of international conferences from Beijing Conference in 1995 to Beijing +20 in UN New York.
- A Regular participant in **Geneva Human Rights Council Sessions and in CSW New York, Special Session on the** Status of Women.
- > Attended Various Conferences on the Family issues.
- Member of AL- Khidmat relief for the victims of **Tsunami in Ache**, **Indonesia**.
- Active participation in National Disaster Management Cell as a Member of Parliament.
- ➤ Has been working as a Trustee of Women Aid Trust (WAT), the most organized NGO, and providing legal aid to imprisoned women throughout the country.
- ➤ Has been working in Orphan Care Program in **AL-Khidmat Foundation**, a welfare organization for the people in need.
- Working as Trustee of International Muslim Women Union (IMWU), an NGO working for the women rights throughout the globe.
- ➤ Had been member of legislative Watch and Media Watch committees on Women Development Wid Network Baluchistan.
- Worked as an active worker of Women Action Forum, Baluchistan.
- An active member of Islami- Jamiat-Talibat, a body of girl students committed to promote moral and religious among the female students in educational institutions throughout the country.
- ➤ Had been Secretary General of **Students Union of Lahore College University for Women**, one of the largest educational Institutions for women education in Asia.
- Analyst for the women Representation in Politics.
- Secretary General of first Women Caucus in Pakistan 1995-96 in Baluchistan.

#### **Conference/ Moots Participation:**

- Attended Residential oath Taking ceremony of president Recap Tayyeb Erdoghan july 9.2018.
- Attended various conferences on youth, education and women and family issues in Switzerland, Turkey, Iran, Saudi Arabia, Malaysia in 2017



With proven extensive traveling record, has organized and attended various national and international conferences/moots organized by different national and international social, political and religious bodies namely:

- ▶ Beijing +20, special session of world women conference in UN Headquarter New York 8-20<sup>th</sup> March 2015.
- Organized a pro family moot in Lahore Pakistan, 2014.
- Organized an international women conference "Emerging Role of Women in a Globalize Era" November 2014 Lahore Pakistan.
- Attended a Women and family conference in Istanbul Turkey, 2014.
- Attended a Women and family conference in Oslo Norway, Jun 2014
- ▶ Organized international women conference. The theme was "Emerging Roles of women in Muslims societies, Opportunities and challenges", 28, 29 November 2013 Islamabad Pakistan.
- Attended an International Conference on "Expending The Role of Women in Cross Culture Dialogue" held in Baku, Azerbaijan, June, 2008
- Attended International Muslims Women Union General Congress Meeting at Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia in 2007.
- Attended an International Conference hosted by ESSAM on "Today's Islamic World: Its potential, Problems and Suggestions for Solutions" in Istanbul, Turkey, in 2006.
- Participated in an international seminar on "Women between hope and reality" held under the auspicious of Board of trustees of international Muslim Women Union (IMWU), in Indonesia (Jakarta) from 28th September - 1st October, 2004.
- Organized an international women conference for strengthening "Family Values" in Pakistan, in Oct, 2003.
- International women conference in Birmingham, UK in Sep, 2003.
- International Women Conference for the enhancement of the world peace held in Jakarta, Indonesia in April, 2003
- ▶ The third General Congress of the International Muslims Women Union (IMMU) held in Jakarta (Indonesia) April, 2003.
- ▶ Human Rights Conference, Islamabad April, 2002
- ▶ International Conference of Muslim Women in **Sheffield UK** 2001 as a chief guest representing Pakistan.
- International Fatimah-tul-zuhra conference in Tehran, Iran Sep, 2001.
- International Conference of Indonesian Women in Jakarta Aug, 2001.
- ▶ Women World Conference B+5 in New York USA held in June, 2000.
- World family Policy Forum held in July 2000 Brigham Young University UTAH USA.
- International Conference (Islam in the West) Baltimore USA.
- Moot on Social action Program for Pakistan (1997).
- Participated General Congress of International Muslim Women Union (IMWU) held at Khartoum (Sudan) and Jakarta (Indonesia) 1996
- International Conference on Bosnia, held in Istanbul Turkey.
- International Moot on Bosnia held in Istanbul Turkey in 1995.
- Kashmir Conference held in London in 1995.

Director of a project called **Qawareer Fashion** which aims "Bringing Together Women Entrepreneurs"

- Contributed various articles, on women and family issues, to leading national dailies and largely circulated general interest periodicals published from Pakistan.
- Attended various forums relating to Women Issues held under ages of various leading newspapers and magazines.
- Delivers orientation lecture series on Islam and Women issues.
- The lecture series went on air from **Ouetta Radio Station**.
- Attended various TV forums on Mind Development, Women Issues,
- National and International Issues as Panelist. The forums were organized by PTV.
- Being a member of National Assembly and active woman politician, participates in discussions on social and political issues being arranged by world media including BBC(Urdu, English and Pashto services), VOA, German and Australian Radio. GEO TV, DUNYA, SAMAA, EXPRESS, ARY, Indus TV, Prime TV, Al-Jazeera TV, PTV World, CNN, WAQT, India TV.

- Compile a report on women and family
- Review on Beijing Platform for Action.
- Review on Implementation of Huddood Laws in Pakistan.
- Review on Women Protection Bill
- Compiled the writings of her father Qazi Hussain Ahmad in Five Books

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Hications & Papers.

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- **Institute of family** and contemporary challenges
- 2. Muslim women new era and new challenges
- Emerging role of women in developing societies 3.
- East and West: How do we View each other.
- 5. Written a Guide Book for Local Body's Councilors.
- 6. Written a booklet on Honor Killing
- 7. Written a booklet on Blasphemy Act
- 8. Written a booklet on Women and Family
- 9. Written a booklet on International Women's Day
- 10. Written a booklet Importance of Sunnah
- 11. Written a book on Hijab

Language Proficiency: Besides mother tongue Pashto, fluent communication in English and Urdu in terms of writing and speech. Has functional knowledge of Arabic, Persian and a vernacular language Punjabi as well.

Personal:

Date of Birth Marital Status April 24, 1965 Married

(Two children, a son and daughter)