



# Momna Rani

Email address: [Momna.rani@unt.edu](mailto:Momna.rani@unt.edu)

## ● WORK EXPERIENCE

17/04/2024 – CURRENT Denton, United States

**TEACHING FELLOW** UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS

SOCI 4750 - World Population Trends and Problems

16/08/2023 – 08/05/2024 Denton, United States

**GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT** UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS

- Teaching Assistant for Gender and Society (three semesters) and Sociology of Sexualities (one semester)
- Help manage the online classes
- Evaluate assignments and tests
- Offer constructive feedback to learners
- Offer dedicated time for student assistance
- Lead discussion groups
- Work alongside faculty members to improve educational outcomes
- Track and assess student development

06/01/2020 – 06/12/2021 Islamabad , Pakistan

**TEACHING ASSISTANT** QUAID-I-AZAM UNIVERSITY

Assist in Principle of sociology and sociology of gender with my professor. Discussion sections for undergraduate course work on given subjects

06/08/2019 – 14/12/2019 Islamabad , Pakistan

**RESEARCH ASSISTANT** QUAID-I-AZAM UNIVERSITY

- Developing and implementing software solutions
- Analyzing data using SPSS for statistical insights
- Conducting comprehensive reviews of existing literature
- Gathering data through various collection methods
- Converting audio or video recordings into written text

04/03/2018 – 27/05/2019 Muzaffarabad , Pakistan

**LECTURER SOCIOLOGY** TECH ERA COLLEGE

- Lectured in Sociology for three semesters, covering:
  - Fundamentals of Sociology
  - Social Theories
- Application of evaluation techniques for skill improvement and capacity development
- Conducted grading and assessments
- Delivered weekly educational lectures

06/06/2018 – 25/12/2018 Muzaffarabad , Pakistan

**MENTOR** ALIF AILAN PAKISTAN

- Hosted educational forums on the importance of women's education in villages
- Conducted need assessment workshops to identify educational gaps
- Prepared detailed reports on findings and recommendations

04/04/2013 – 15/11/2016 Muzaffarabad , Pakistan

## TEACHER KASHMIR SCHOOL SYSTEM

---

- Served as a Primary School Teacher, instructing in Mathematics, Computer Science, and General Science.
- Spearheaded the coordination of Activities and Practical Life Exercises (EPL), focusing on the creation of innovative learning experiences on campus.
- Collaborated with the section head to design the Montessori curriculum, and engaged in weekly planning for daily activities.
- Honored with the Best Teacher Award for exemplary performance and dedication.
- Received multiple letters of appreciation for contributions to the educational environment.

02/08/2017 – 29/10/2017 Islamabad , Pakistan

## INTERNEE KASHMIR INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

---

-I have done my internship at KIIR, I was engaged and trained on the modules of gender-centered disaster, disaster management, communication skills, narrative building and women leadership.

-I have also been awarded the award for peace ambassador on their silver jubilee celebrations from Tahmina Jangua ( Foreign secretary of Pakistan)

## ● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

---

16/08/2023 – CURRENT Denton, United States

### P.H.D SOCIOLOGY University of North Texas

---

Website [www.unt.edu](http://www.unt.edu) | Field of study Sociology

16/08/2019 – 25/01/2022 Islamabad , Pakistan

### MASTERS OF PHILOSOPHY (M.PHIL) IN SOCIOLOGY Quaid-I-Azam University, Islamabad

---

The industrial era brought number of facilities for individuals but somehow affects the traditional family systems of Pakistani society. Pakistani society is purely cultural in nature where a great respect, care and they put a lot of concentration on elderly well-being. Elderly care in Pakistani society is performed by the children. However, during the last decade there is a rapid growth of elderly population has seen. It is because of advancement in medical care along with few socio- cultural transitions in the society. The aim of the study is to explore the knowledge, attitude and practices of wellbeing regarding elderly care among youth in Pakistan. The research was undertaken in the most diverse area of Islamabad. The study implemented quantitative study design. The phi-coefficient and chi square has measured the degree of association among dependent and independent variables. The research in this dissertation has attempted to contribute in elderly care/ gerontology by providing a baseline assessment and giving an insight that what domains of society are vulnerable by taking the opinions of youth who are inherited to look after their parents. The study will provide the guideline for further research in elderly wellbeing in Pakistan.

Website [www.qau.edu.pk](http://www.qau.edu.pk) | Field of study Sociology |

**Thesis** KNOWLEDGE, ATTITUDE AND PRACTICES OF WELLBEING REGARDING ELDERLY CARE AMONG YOUTH IN ISLAMABAD

02/02/2016 – 03/03/2019 Muzaffarabad , Pakistan

### M.SC. SOCIOLOGY University of Azad Jammu and Kashmir, Muzaffarabad

---

Pakistan is an under developing country and it is facing the problems of globalization which are created due to global media and the situation remains blurred because of the lack of research. The present study is conducted to dig out the impact of global media on youth with focus on the impact of global media in the promotion of foreign cultural trends in Pakistan. The main objectives were to explore the effect of global media on the lifestyle and culture (food, festivals, dressing), To investigate the awareness of people regarding their rights, to assess the attitude toward modern technology among youth and to assess the impact of global media on youth. The quantitative study was used to analyse the data which is collected in the form of survey. The results of the study strongly supported that global media is extremely

influencing the Pakistani young generation.

Website [ajku.edu.pk](http://ajku.edu.pk) | Field of study Sociology |

**Thesis** THE IMPACT OF GLOBAL MEDIA ON YOUTH: A CASE STUDY OF UNIVERSITY OF AZAD JAMMU AND KASHMIR, MUZAFFARABAD

15/08/2013 – 20/10/2015 Islamabad , Pakistan

**BACHELOR OF COMMERCE** Federal Urdu University of Arts, Sciences and Technology

Website [fuuast.edu.pk](http://fuuast.edu.pk) | Field of study Business and administration not elsewhere classified

17/01/2024 – 09/05/2024 Denton , United States

**GSTEP** University of North Texas

Website [www.unt.edu](http://www.unt.edu) | Field of study Teacher training without subject specialisation | Final grade A

● **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

Mother tongue(s): **URDU** | **HINDKO**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
<b>ENGLISH</b>	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

● **DIGITAL SKILLS**

IBM Statistical package for Sciences (SPSS) | MaxQDA qualitative research | Qualitative data analysis (Nvivo) | STATA - basic use | SurveryMonkey | Microsoft Office | Microsoft Excel | Google Drive | Microsoft Word | Microsoft Powerpoint | Zoom | Social Media | Outlook | Skype | Google Docs | Qualitative analysis softwares (Nvivo & MaxQDA) | Qualitative Data Analysis (NVivo, QDA Miner Lite)

● **CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS**

18/04/2024 – 21/04/2024 New Orleans, LA

**Southwestern Social Science Association (Round Table)**

Health disparities among south Asian immigrants: A Comprehensive Review

**Link** [https://convention2.allacademic.com/one/ssa/ssa24/index.php?cmd=Online+Program+View+Paper&selected\\_paper\\_id=2158752&PHPSESSID=d5tu9l0pknvqbv7k6db6s6tepvu](https://convention2.allacademic.com/one/ssa/ssa24/index.php?cmd=Online+Program+View+Paper&selected_paper_id=2158752&PHPSESSID=d5tu9l0pknvqbv7k6db6s6tepvu)

18/04/2024 – 21/04/2024 New Orleans, LA

**South Western Social Science Association (Chair session "Community")**

-Served as the chair for the "Community" session at the Southwestern Social Sciences Association conference. This role involved coordinating and leading a diverse panel of research presentations that explored various aspects of community dynamics, social issues, and cultural phenomena.

**Key Topics and Research Presented:**

- Assessing Alignment between Community Needs and Resources: An exploratory study utilizing Arkansas 211 data to map out how well community resources align with the expressed needs of the residents.
- Exploratory Research into Arkansans' Littering Perceptions and Behaviors: A behavioral study aimed at understanding the underlying perceptions and societal behaviors contributing to littering in Arkansas.
- Strengthening Minority and Women-Owned Businesses for Procurement Opportunities: Analyzed strategies to enhance the capabilities of minority and women-owned enterprises to compete in procurement processes.
- What is Elite Deviance: A typological analysis of the deviant behaviors and criminal activities of individuals in authoritative positions, using China as a contextual backdrop.
- Social Space Studies: Discussed the significant contributions of social sciences in the exploration and understanding of space activities, highlighting interdisciplinary approaches.
- Indians For Sale! Cigar Shop Indians & The Commodity of Indigenous Culture: Examined the commodification of indigenous cultures through the lens of popular cultural artifacts like cigar store Indians.

**Responsibilities**

- Facilitated discussion and interaction among presenters and conference attendees, ensuring a comprehensive exploration of each topic.
- Managed session logistics, from scheduling to fielding questions, to maintain a smooth and engaging session flow.
- Provided critical insights and feedback to presenters, enhancing the academic rigor and impact of their research.

**Link** [https://convention2.allacademic.com/one/sss/ssa24/index.php?cmd=Online+Program+View+Paper&selected\\_paper\\_id=2132077&PHPSESSID=d5tu9l0pknvqbv7k6dbs6tepvu](https://convention2.allacademic.com/one/sss/ssa24/index.php?cmd=Online+Program+View+Paper&selected_paper_id=2132077&PHPSESSID=d5tu9l0pknvqbv7k6dbs6tepvu)

Islamabad

**Focus group discussion workshop by Hanns Seidel Foundation (Pakistan office)**

---

Islamabad

**A 01-day training on 3rd leadership conference with chief minister youth mobilization committee.**

---

Muzaffarabad

**One-day training on cyber secure Azad Kashmir**

---

Muzaffarabad

**One day seminar on, "Drug addiction and their treatment"**

---

Muzaffarabad

**One day seminar on "clash of civilizations"**

---

Islamabad

**One day seminar on Human Rights.**

---

Quaid-I-Azam University, Islamabad

**One day seminar on "Right to Vote"**

---

Islamabad

**A one-day conference on Digital media at Kashmir Institute of International relations**

---

Islamabad

**Attended 5th National entrepreneur conference**

---

Islamabad

**Two days conference on Digital Pakistan by British council Pakistan**

---

University of Azad Jammu and Kashmir, Muzaffarabad

**Workshop on career counseling**

---

Islamabad

**Three days training on effective communication & leadership**

---

Muzaffarabad

**Two Days Workshop on Women empowerment.**

---

Islamabad

**A one-day workshop on Digital Media**

---

Muzaffarabad

**Six workshops on disaster management and also work as a President disaster management committee in UAJK.**

---

## ● PUBLICATIONS

---

2021

**[Social and Religious Impact of Covid-19 in a Quarantined Zones of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan \(Case Study of Ziarat Talash Lower Dir\).](#)**

---

*Journal Of Religious Studies*, 4(02), 52-60

Jan, D., Khan, D., & Rani, M.

2020

**Factors Affecting the Female Education in The Newly Merged District Bajaur of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan**

---

Palarch's Journal of Archaeology of  
Egypt/Egyptology 18(4), 3136-3156. ISSN 1567-214x

Kefayat Ullah, Azizullah Jan, Momna Rani, Mansoor Ahmad, Ihsan Ullah

2020

**Understudies Acutities about Practices, Causes and Effect of Drug Usage at Five Different Educational Institutions of Pakistan.**

---

*Journal of Critical Reviews*, 7 (18), 4464-4469. doi:10.31838/JCR.07.18.552

Momna Rani, Dr. Azizullah Jan, Imran Sabir, Mansoor Ahmad

2024

**Direct Care Worker Attitudes Toward Their Supervisors: Factors Associated with Perceived Support**

---

(In Progress)

● **HONOURS AND AWARDS**

---

19/12/2019

**Gold Medalist – University of Azad Jammu and Kashmir**

---

**Awarded the Laptop for highest achiever in badge – Higher Education Commission of Pakistan**

---

**Awarded Merit and Need Based Scholarship for undergraduate program – HEC (Higher Education commission) of Pakistan**

---

**M.Phil fellowship for high achievers in consecutive three semesters – Quaid-I-Azam University**

---

**Peace Ambassdor Award – Kashmir Institute of International Relations**

---

**Best organizer award from “Panyaar” team for organizaing cultural program in university. – University of Azad Jammu and Kashmir**

---

**Best team award for organizing fund raising events – Jamal Foundation, Azad Kashmir**

---

**Best faculty Award – Kashmir School System**

---

**Best Management award to coordinate the first cyber-secure AJK awareness seminar. – Pakistan Information Security Association**

---

24/03/2024

**Lynne Killgore Scholarship – University of North Texas**

---

● **PROJECTS**

---

12/02/2020 – 20/05/2020

**Drug Abuse at Educational Institutions (Funded by Higher Education Pakistan)**

---

- Data Analysis
- Publication
- Literature Review

20/08/2019 – 20/12/2019

**Child Wellbeing in Pakistan**

---

- Data Collection
- Transcription

-Data Analysis

## ● **CERTIFICATIONS/TRAINING**

---

01/02/2024 – 14/02/2024

### **CITI Health Information Privacy and Security (HIPS)**

---

CITI Health Information Privacy and Security (HIPS) for Students and Instructors  
Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative ( [www.citiprogram.org](http://www.citiprogram.org))

**Link** [www.citiprogram.org/verify/?w4288b17f-5368-44c7-88f2-4d6f2c510505-58627904](http://www.citiprogram.org/verify/?w4288b17f-5368-44c7-88f2-4d6f2c510505-58627904)

10/02/2024 – 22/02/2024

### **Compliance Awareness Training**

---

University of North Texas

**Link** <https://unt.bridgeapp.com/learner/courses/26206/certificate>

04/02/2024 – 22/02/2024

### **Cybersecurity Awareness Training (Rev. 9/23)**

---

10/10/2023 – 15/10/2023

### **DSI TECH**

---

04/11/2023 – 26/11/2026

### **Essentials of Public Health Research**

---

Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative ( [www.citiprogram.org](http://www.citiprogram.org))

05/02/2024 – 21/02/2024

### **Faculty/Staff Training: Creating Inclusive and Accessible Environments for Students with Visual Impairments**

---

**Link** <https://unt.bridgeapp.com/learner/courses/15918/certificate>

18/02/2024 – 21/02/2024

### **Principal Investigator (PI), Co-PI, and Project Director Briefing**

---

**Link** <https://unt.bridgeapp.com/learner/courses/15918/certificate>

09/02/2024 – 21/02/2024

### **Research Integrity and Compliance (RIC) Training and Resources**

---

**Link** <https://unt.bridgeapp.com/learner/courses/15942/certificate>

### **Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR)**

---

UNT RCR Basic Course

(Course Learner Group)1 - Basic Course

Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative ( [www.citiprogram.org](http://www.citiprogram.org))

**Link** <https://unt.bridgeapp.com/learner/courses/15942/certificate>

02/02/2024 – 14/02/2024

### **UNT Conflict of Interest Course for Public Health Service/NIH Funding**

---

Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative ( [www.citiprogram.org](http://www.citiprogram.org))

03/02/2024 – 22/02/2024

### **UNT Ethics and Standards of Conduct**

---

**Link** <https://unt.bridgeapp.com/learner/courses/16133/certificate>

02/02/2024 – 22/02/2024  
**UNT FERPA Training**

---

Link <https://unt.bridgeapp.com/learner/programs/334/certificate>

02/02/2024 – 22/02/2024

**UNT Policies & Title IX: Preventing Discrimination, Harassment, Sexual Misconduct & Retaliation (updated: 1/16/23)**

---

Link <https://unt.bridgeapp.com/learner/courses/15495/certificate>

16/02/2024 – 21/02/2024

**UNT Staff - Flexible Work Arrangement**

---

Link <https://unt.bridgeapp.com/learner/programs/566/certificate>

## ● **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

---

18/04/2024 – 20/04/2024

**Health Disparities among South Asian Immigrants: A Comprehensive Review**

---

Link [https://convention2.allacademic.com/one/sss/ssa24/index.php?cmd=Online+Program+View+Paper&selected\\_paper\\_id=2158752&PHPSESSID=bkicupb43tjd2klcfcev9nmhbb](https://convention2.allacademic.com/one/sss/ssa24/index.php?cmd=Online+Program+View+Paper&selected_paper_id=2158752&PHPSESSID=bkicupb43tjd2klcfcev9nmhbb)

18/04/2024 – 20/04/2024

**Chair a Session at "Community" at Southwestern Social Science Association Annual Meeting 2024 at New Orleans**

---

I moderate a session that includes these research papers:

1. Assessing Alignment between Community Needs and Resources as Expressed through Arkansas 211
2. Exploratory research into Arkansans' littering perceptions and behavior
3. Strengthening Minority and Women-Owned Businesses for Procurement Opportunities
4. What is Elite Deviance: A Typological Analysis of the Criminal Conducts and Deviant Behaviors Engaged in by People in Power, Using China as an Example
5. Social Space Studies: The Growing Contribution of the Social Sciences to the Study of Space Activities
6. Indians for Sale! Cigar Shop Indians & The Commodity of Indigenous Culture.

## ● **TRAVEL GRANT**

---

18/04/2024 – 20/04/2024

**Travel Grant from Department of Sociology to attend "Southwestern Social Sciences Association Annual Meeting 2024 in New Orleans"**

---

## ● **NETWORKS AND MEMBERSHIPS**

---

19/04/2024 – CURRENT United States

**Alpha Kappa Delta Sociology Honor Society (Lifetime memeber)**

---

11/11/2023 – 11/11/2024 United States

**Southwestern Social Sciences Association**

---

03/04/2024 – CURRENT United States

**Gerontological Society of America**

---

**Aluminai Association Quaid-I-Azam University, Since 2021, Islamabad**

---