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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Applied Econometrics & Statistics for Public Policy, Impact Evaluation Methods, Inclusive Governance Models

## ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH POSITIONS

- 2020-to-Present **Assistant Professor**, Dept. of Govt & Public Policy  
National University of Sciences & Technology (NUST) Islamabad, Pakistan
- 2019-to-2020 **Lecturer**, Dept. of Management Sciences  
2015-to-2016 COMSATS University Islamabad, Attock Campus, Pakistan.  
2012-to-2015 **Lecturer**, Management Sciences  
University of Peshawar-Pakistan
- Apr 2020 -Jul 2020 **Teaching Fellow**, Development Economics for Post-Graduate Students  
Centro de Capacitación en Economía Finanzas, Lima, Peru
- 2018-to-2019 **Doctoral Research Assistant**, KDI School of Public Policy and Management, South Korea  
Project Title: *Impact Evaluation of Government School Monitoring Program, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Province, Pakistan:*  
Project Managers: Prof. Hee-Seung Yang & Prof. Kim, Booyuel, KDI School
- 2018-to-2019 **Doctoral Research Assistant**, KDI School of Public Policy and Management, South Korea  
Project Title: *Analysis of 150 modularization cases through the Knowledge Sharing Program (KSP) at Korea Development Institute (KDI).*  
Project Manager: Prof. Dong Young Kim, KDI School of Public Policy and Management
- 2017 & 2018 **Teaching Assistant at the KDI School of Public Policy, South Korea**
- 2010-to-2011 **Research Project Assistant**, Agriculture Department, Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Pakistan.

## FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS AND AWARDS

- 2020-to-2021 **Principal Investigator**, Impact Evaluation Research Project (\$ 20000)  
**Project Title** “*Impact Evaluation of the E-governance Initiatives by the Punjab Government, Pakistan*” funded by the Korea Development Institute (KDI), School of Public Policy and Management, South Korea, [**Completed**]
- 2021-to-2022 **Principal Investigator**, NUST Research Project Grant (PKR 45000), titled “Assessment of Parental Preferences towards Children Schooling” **with Saeeda Khannum.**
- 2021-to-2022 **Co-Investigator**, NUST Research Project Grant (PKR 46000), titled *Assessment of Vulnerability to Poverty of the Working Middle Class in Times of Crises in Pakistan* with Wajiha Haq, S3H NUST
- 2016-to- 2019 **Global Ambassador Scholarship Award for PhD** ( \$ 57000)  
Korea Development Institute, School of Public Policy & Management, South Korea

## EDUCATION

- 2016-2018 **Ph.D** Public Policy, Korea Development Institute (KDI), School of Public Policy and Management, South Korea.  
**Dissertation:** Three Essays on Governance and Sustainable Development  
**Advisors:** Prof. Dong-Young KIM  
**Committee:** Prof. Dong-Young KIM, Prof. Heeseung YANG, Prof. Booyuel KIM, Dr. Lee Jeong-Seok, Dr. Joseph Han  
**Major PhD Courses Completed**  
Advanced Econometrics (with training on STATA latest applications), Development Economics, Microeconomics-I, Macro-Economic Policy, Microeconomics II (with Game Theory), Impact Evaluation Methods, Education Policy Analysis, Participatory Governance in Public Decision Making, Fragile States and Development Outcomes, Foundations of Public Policy.
- 2011-2013 **M.Phil. in Management**, University of Malakand-Pakistan
- 2012-2013 **Post Graduate Diploma in Disaster Management**,  
Centre for Disaster Preparedness and Management,  
University of Peshawar-Pakistan

**REFEREED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS**

- Buyeol Kim and Inayat Ulla. (2022). Impact Evaluation of Teacher Attendance Monitoring Program for Public Schools in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Province of Pakistan (파키스탄 교사출석 모니터링 프로그램 영향평가: Khyber Pakhtunkhwa 주 공립학교 사례를 중심으로) *International and Regional Studies*, 31(1), 63-86. **KCI Accredited Journal**  
[http://publication.gsis.snu.ac.kr/?download\\_doc\\_id=7455](http://publication.gsis.snu.ac.kr/?download_doc_id=7455)
- Ullah, I., & Khan, M. (2017). Microfinance as a tool for developing resilience in vulnerable communities. *Journal of Enterprising Communities: People and Places in the Global Economy*, 11(2), 237-257 (Scopus/ESCI Indexed; Citescore 3.6)  
<https://doi.org/10.1108/JEC-06-2015-0033>
- Ullah, I., & Kim, D. Y. (2021). Inclusive Governance and Biodiversity Conservation: Evidence from Sub-Saharan Africa. *Sustainability*, 13(7), 3847. (Impact Factor: 2.56)  
<https://doi.org/10.3390/su13073847>
- Ullah, I., & Kim, D. Y. (2020). A Model of Collaborative Governance for Community-based Trophy-Hunting Programs in Developing Countries. *Perspectives in Ecology and Conservation*. Vol 18 (3) PP 145-160 . Impact Factor: 3.563 Cite Score 5.5  
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pecon.2020.06.004>
- Anwar, A.; Younis, M.; Ullah, I. Impact of Urbanization and Economic Growth on CO2 Emission: A Case of Far East Asian Countries. *Int. J. Environ. Res. Public Health* 2020, 17, 2531.  
<https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph17072531> (Impact Factor: 3.39)
- Anwar, A.; Ullah, I.; Younis, M.; Flahault, A. Impact of Air Pollution (PM2.5) on Child Mortality: Evidence from Sixteen Asian Countries. *Int. J. Environ. Res. Public Health* 2021, 18, 6375.  
<https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph18126375> (Impact Factor: 3.39 )
- Ullah, I., & Akhoubzi, W. (2020). The e-Governance of Land Record and Social Dispute Resolution: An Impact Evaluation of the Punjab Land Record Management Information System (PLRMIS) in the Punjab Province Pakistan. In *EGOV-CeDEM-ePart-\** Vol 2797 (pp. 235-248).  
<http://ceur-ws.org/Vol-2797/paper23.pdf>
- Ullah, Z., Ullah, I., Ullah, I., Mahmood, S., & Iqbal, Z. (2020). Poaching of Asiatic Black Bear: Evidence from Siran and Kaghan Valleys, Pakistan. *Global Ecology and Conservation*, e01351. (Impact Factor 2.52)
- Ullah, I., (2013) et al. Correlation Dynamics in Equity Markets of Pakistan and India: A Case Study in the context of Financial Crisis 2008. *City University Research Journal*, 3(2), 76–84. HEC Recognized.
- Yang, H. S., Kim, B., & Ullah, I. (2020). Teachers' Monitoring and Schools' Performance: Evidence from Public Schools in Pakistan. *KDI School of Public Policy & Management Paper*, (20-02).
- Ullah, I., Hussain, S., Akhoubzi, W., Hussain, S., Riaz, M. K., Jamil, S., & Parveen, A. P. (2021). Impact Evaluation of the Land Record Management Information System in the Punjab Province, Pakistan. *KDI School of Pub Policy & Management Paper*.

**Working Papers**

- Ullah, I., Hussain, S., (2021). *Impact of Disasters on Food Insecurity through Income Inequality* submitted to *UN WIDER* for early review.
- *Impact of digital inclusion on land-related disputes resolution process in Punjab, Pakistan* with Saqib Hussain, in process of Publication by KDI School Working Paper Series (2021).
- *Assessment of Vulnerability to Poverty of the Working Middle Class in Times of Crises in Pakistan* with Wajiha Haq, S3H NUST (Approved Research Grant)

- *Assessment of parents' preferences towards children schooling: an intervention-based study of vulnerable migrant/ Afghan refugees in Pakistan* with Saeeda Khanum, S3H, NUST
- “*Finding Balanced Inclusive Green Growth (BIGG) Pathways to Sustainable Development*” with **Mohan Munasinghe**, former Vice-Chair of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) & Founder of the Munasinghe Institute for Development (MIND)
- “Analysis of 150 modularization cases through Knowledge Sharing Program (KSP) at Korea Development Institute (KDI)” with *Dong-Young Kim*.
- Effects of Prime Minister's Laptop Scheme on Graduates' Productivity: An Ex-post Impact Evaluation using Regression Discontinuity Design with Ume Laila & Saqib Hussain

## **PRESENTATIONS IN INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CONFERENCES**

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|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2021 | Agribusiness Innovations for Sustainable Rural Community Development organized by Asian Productivity Organization (Japan). 24–26 March 2021     |
| 2020 | The IFIP EGOV-CeDEM-ePart2020 conference, Sweden, Sept 1-2 , 2020                                                                               |
| 2019 | The Society for Research on Educational Effectiveness (SREE) 2019 Conference, Washington D.C, USA March 6-9, 2019.                              |
| 2018 | Asian and Australian Society of Labor Economics (AASLE), Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea, 13-15 December 2018.                    |
| 2018 | KDI School 3ie Conference on Impact Evaluation in Development Research, November 22 <sup>nd</sup> -23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2018, Seoul, South Korea. |
| 2018 | Brown Bag Seminar, Korea Development Institute, School of Public Policy and Management, Sejong City, South Korea, Dec 04, 2018.                 |

## **ACADEMIC REVIEW SERVICE**

Sustainability, PLOS ONE, Journal of Environmental Planning and Management, Pakistan Journal of Society, Education and Language (PJSEL)

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

Econometrics with Advanced Applications of STATA, Impact Evaluation Methods, Development Economics, Statistical Inferences, and Research Methodology, Public Finance, Public Policy Analysis, Comparative Public Administration Systems, Project Quality and Risk Management, Financial Institutions and Market

## **RESOURCE PERSON FOR WORKSHOPS**

- *Workshop on Agribusiness Innovations for Sustainable Rural Community Development*, 24-26 March 2021 organized by Asian Productivity Organization (APA) and National Productivity Organization (NPO), Pakistan.
- *Impact Evaluation Workshop*, held under the Joint Impact Evaluation Research Project of the KDI School of Public Policy and COMSATS University Islamabad, Attock Campus, Pakistan,

## **PARTICIPATION IN TRAININGS, CONFERENCES & SEMINARS**

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| 2019 | 3-days' workshop on 'Testing & Assessment Methods' at COMSATS University Islamabad (02 April 2019 to 04 April 2019.).                                                                                             |
| 2018 | World Development Report Regional Event in Seoul (June 19, 2018)                                                                                                                                                  |
| 2018 | Global Engagement and Empowerment Forum on Sustainable Development (GEEF) held at Yonsei University Seoul in collaboration with <b>Ban-Ki Moon Centre</b> from Feb 7 <sup>th</sup> to Feb 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2018. |
| 2017 | Seminar on World Bank's Perspective on Korean Economic Development at Korean Development Institute (December 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2017)                                                                              |
| 2017 | Impact Evaluation in Practice: Asia Regional Impact Evaluation Workshop November 20-21, 2017, at the Westin Chosun Hotel, Seoul                                                                                   |
| 2017 | The KDI School 20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Workshop (November 2, 2017)                                                                                                                                           |

- 2015 4-Days Workshop on “Research Philosophies and Methods in Finance”
- 2014 Two Days Workshop on Flood Hazard, Vulnerability and Risk Assessment
- 2014 Presentation on the Construction of New Balakot Safe City Project, District Mansehra
- 2014 National Conference on Geo-Spatial Data Standardization, Policy and Data Sharing
- 2013 Training on the Use STATA, SPSS and other software for Research Analysis
- 2010 Different Methods of Transcription in Qualitative Research

## **EVENTS ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT**

- 2014 Co-organizer, 6th Disaster Management Exhibition-2014 (DME) held on December 03-04, 2014 in collaboration with the United Nations World Food Program (WFP)-Pakistan
- 2014 Coordinator for Webinar Sessions in collaboration with Harvard University South Asia Institute (SAI) held at the University of Peshawar
- 2013 Co-organizer, 5th Disaster Management Exhibition (DME) – 2013, a jointly organized event of the University of Peshawar, ACF-Pakistan and UNESCO –Pakistan held at University of Peshawar-Pakistan on November 20, 2013
- 2012 Co-organizer, 4th Disaster Management Exhibition 2012-a jointly organized event of the University of Peshawar, ACF-Pakistan and Pakistan Science Foundation held at University of Peshawar on November 07, 2012
- 2012-2015 Coordinator, Student Societies, Centre for Disaster Preparedness and Management, University of Peshawar-Pakistan
- 2009-2010 General Secretary, Khyber Islamic & Cultural Society, University of Peshawar

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS SET**

R, STATA (proficient), EViews, SPSS, LaTeX, Mendeley etc.

## **COUNTRIES VISITED**

USA, South Korea, Thailand, Malaysia, Morocco

## **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

**English:** Fluent in Reading, Writing and Speaking

**Urdu:** Fluent in Reading, Writing and Speaking

**Pashto:** Native

## **REFERENCES**

- (1) **Prof. Dong Young Kim**, Associate Professor at KDI School of Public Policy and Management, South Korea  
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- (2) **Prof. Hee-Seung Yang**, Associate Professor at Department of Economics, Yonsei University, Seoul, South Korea  
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- (3) **Prof. Prof. Booyuel Kim**, Associate Professor, Graduate School of Environmental Studies, Seoul National University. Building No. 220, 1 Gwanak-ro, Gwanak-gu, Seoul, Republic of Korea, 08826  
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