

# Sidra Ahmed

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## **Qualification Profile:**

### **M.Phil leading to PhD: Department of International Relations, University of Karachi (2014- In progress)**

(Status: Coursework for M.Phil / Ph.D completed, M.Phil. Thesis converted to PhD)

Secured highest GPA (3.6) in M.Phil. Coursework –IR batch of 2014-15.

### **Certification: Human Resource Management (2007)**

Institute of Business Administration (IBA), Karachi.

### **Master's degree: International Relations – University of Karachi (2000)**

Secured 4<sup>th</sup> position- IR batch of 2000

#### **Research Work for Masters courses:**

1. Impacts of Internet Hacking on World Economy (M.A Final Year Research Project) (2000)
2. The Role of MNCs in Developing Countries (1999)
3. Impacts of Globalization on South Asian Economy (1999)

### **Bachelor's Degree: University of Karachi (1998)**

Majors: **Psychology, Economics, Education**

### **Intermediate: Government Sir Syed Girls College (1996)**

Majors: **Psychology, Economics, Geography**

### **Matriculation: Scholar House Grammar School (1994)**

Majors: **Science group**

## **Articles/ Research Papers Published:**

- Research Paper Published in New Horizon, Vol. 13, No.2, Jul 2019 (HEC Y Category). Weblink: [https://www.greenwich.edu.pk/images/PDFs/NHJ/NH\\_V13\\_N2.pdf](https://www.greenwich.edu.pk/images/PDFs/NHJ/NH_V13_N2.pdf)
- Research Paper Published in Pakistan Journal of International Affairs (PJIA), Jan – June 2018, Vol. 2, Issue 1 (HEC Y Category)
- Various Articles published in The Asia Watch Magazine: Link <https://asianwatch.wordpress.com>

### **Employment and Teaching Experience:**

Around 07 years of University Teaching experience in various Public & Private Sector Universities in Karachi.

### **Online Teaching Experience during Pandemic COVID 19**

#### **KASBIT (SPRING 2020 / SUMMER 2020)**

Course: Pak- Studies, Sociology

#### **Federal Urdu University for Arts Science & Technology (Spring 2020)**

Course: Business English

#### **Newport Institute of Communication and Economics (Summer 2020)**

Course: Pak- Studies, Islamic Studies

#### **EDUCALIAN.COM (E- Coaching- July 2020)**

Course: Commercial Geography

### **On Campus Teaching Experience:**

#### **Lecturer – DHA Suffa University**

October 2020 - Present

#### **Lecturer - KASBIT (SMCHS & Hyderi Campus)**

June 2016 – September 2020

Department: **Faculty of Social Sciences (Permanent Faculty)/ Faculty of Management Sciences (VF)**

Course taught: **Psychology, Sociology, Business Ethics, Pak-Studies, Islamic Studies, Fundamentals of Management, Cross Cultural Management, Contemporary World**

(BBA / B.Com Programs)

### **Corporate Social Responsibility Projects under My Supervision:**

- Mentor KASBIT (H) Drama & Theatre Society
- One Day Plantation Activity / Awareness Session (June 2019)
- School Library Setup for underprivileged students of a School caters 700 poor students in the area of Manghopir, Karachi.
- Food for Cause (Sales money collected from the event was donated to Sayllani Roti Bank)
- Project Rehbar (One day Health & Road Safety Awareness activity conducted for the patients of General O.P.D & Gynaecology wards at Abbasi Shaheed Hospital. Gifts and Games sessions for the patients of Paediatric ward)
- Face the Mirror: A socio-cultural event to highlight the blemishes & scars, glow & glitter on the face of Pakistani Society.

**Lecturer (VF) – University of Karachi**

Jan 2019

Department: International Relations

Course : **Concepts and Principles of IR** (M. A Previous and B.S program - Evening)

**Lecturer (VF) – NUML (Karachi)**

September 2018 – Dec 2018

Department: English

Cause: **IR Theory, Foreign Policy** (B.S program)

**Lecturer (VF) - SZABIST (90 Campus)**

February 2017 – December 2017

Department: **Social Sciences**

Course : **IR** (Major), **Social Policy** (BS Program)

**Op-ed Editor - The Asia Watch Magazine**

Jan 2016 – Sep 2016

Determines the week's coverage by reviewing mails, story tips and by checking with the news editors, and e-mail inbox for letter submissions. Assigns and works with Opinion writers on stories .

**Lecturer (VF) - Hamdard University, Main Campus**

July 2014 – May 2015

Department: **Hamdard Institute of Education and Social Sciences (HIES).**

Course: **Organization & Management** ( B.Ed- Weekend Program)

**Lecturer (VF) - Federal Urdu University of Arts, Science & Technology, Karachi (both campuses)**

Aug 2013- May 2014

Department: **Department of Business Administration / Department of Economics**

Course: **Organizational Behaviour, Psychology, Pakistan Studies** ( BBA , Bs. Programs)

Served as Member of Board of studies – Responsible to make Examination Papers & Check examination copies of compulsory subjects for the University affiliated colleges.

**Radio Presenter/Coordinator [www.pakistanradio.net](http://www.pakistanradio.net) (Global Radio Service)**

May 2011 - June 2013.

Performed/ conducted LIVE shows based on Current Affairs and Social Issues

**Team Supervisor - UNILEVER PAKISTAN (Ltd)**

Jan 2006 to Dec 2008

Department: **Unilever Raabta**

**COORDINATOR - FALCONHOUSE GRAMMAR SCHOOL (Main Campus.)**

April 2004-Dec 2005

**Conferences/ seminars attended:**

- Attended 8<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Applied Research in Business, Management and Economics (ICBME – 2020) held by Greenwich University, Karachi Campus.
- Research Paper Presented at International Video Conference for Social Sciences (IVCSS) 2018 at Shaheed Benazir Bhutto University, Lyari
- Research Paper Presented at ICCHSD 2016, UoK: The Challenges of Women Empowerment and Social Development in Pakistan.

**FIELDS OF INTEREST / HOBBIES**

- 1 Teaching & Research
- 2 Student Counselling & Talent Management
- 3 V-logging/ Social Networking:  
LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/sidra-ahmed-5b1216b/>  
YouTube channel link: <https://www.youtube.com/user/sidraasarar>
- 4 Appeared in current affairs programmes on different TV & Radio Channels  
Member **Karachi University Model United Nations Society (KUMUNS)**
- 6 Writing **Blogs** (link: [sidrasrar@blogspot.com](mailto:sidrasrar@blogspot.com))
- 7 Associate member of **Pakistan Institute of International Affairs ( P.I.I.A)**
- 8 Music & Arts / Travelling

**LANGUAGES**

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|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 English & Urdu           | Speak, write and comprehend with ease |
| 2 Arabic, Sindhi & Punjabi | Novice familiarity                    |

References shall be furnished upon request.

