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Designation		PROFESSOR				
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Education						
Subject		Institution		Year	Details	
History		University of Cambridge, Cambridge		1997	Thesis topic: Power Relations in Mughal Gujarat: Cambay and Surat, c. 1572- 1740	
Career Profile						
Organisation / Institution		Designation		Duration	Role	
Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh		Lecturer		1989-2000	Teaching and Research	
Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh		Reader		2000-2007	Teaching and Research	
University of Delhi, Delhi		Professor		-since 2007	Teaching and Research	
Research Interests / Specialization						
Medieval India, with particular interests in court culture, identities and gender relations in the period. Islam in India during the Medieval and colonial period, in particular, religious thought and practices.						
Teaching Experience ( Subjects/Courses Taught)						
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Medieval Societies (Delhi University)</li> <li>2. History of India, 1540-1605 (Delhi University)</li> <li>3. History of the Delhi Sultanate (Delhi University)</li> <li>4. The Eighteenth Century: Society, Culture and Economy (Aligarh Muslim University)</li> <li>5. Indian National Movement, 1885-1947 (Aligarh Muslim University)</li> <li>6. Feminist Theory (Post-graduate Diploma in Women's Studies, A.M.U., Aligarh)</li> <li>7. Women in India Since Independence (Post-graduate Diploma in Women's Studies, A.M.U., Aligarh)</li> <li>8. Gender Relations in Medieval India (Delhi University)</li> <li>9. Political Processes and Socio-Cultural Formations in South Asia, c. 1526-1707</li> <li>10. The Ottomans Between the Fourteenth and the Seventeenth Centuries</li> </ol>						
Honors & Awards						
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Nominated member of the Editorial Board of <i>Modern Asian Studies</i>, a journal of the Center for South Asian Studies, University of Cambridge, Cambridge.</li> <li>2. Appointed Visiting Fellow at the Maison des Sciences de l'Homme, Paris (France), October-November 2006.</li> <li>3. Short-listed for the Award of the Best Book Prize by ICAS-4 (IIAS, Leiden, the Netherlands), 2005.</li> <li>4. Awarded the Commonwealth Scholarship (U. K.) to read for Ph.D. at the University of Cambridge, Cambridge (1993-</li> </ol>						

1997).

5. Awarded the Overseas Development Scholarship to read for M. Phil at the University of Cambridge, Cambridge (1997- 1998).

## Publications

### Books / Monographs

<u>Year of Publication</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Publisher</u> Cambridge University Press, Cambridge (Published in India By Foundation Books)	<u>Co-Author</u>
2006	State and Locality in Mughal India, Power Relations in Western India, c. 1572-1730		

### In Indexed/ Peer Reviewed Journals

<u>Year of Publication</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Journal</u>	<u>Co-Author</u>
1993	Mughal Fiscal System in Surat and the English East India Company	<i>Modern Asian Studies</i> (Cambridge)	
1992	Indigenous Cooperation and the Birth of a Colonial City: Calcutta, c. 1698-1740	<i>Modern Asian Studies Journal of the</i>	
1991	Conflict and Cooperation in Anglo-Mughal Trade Relations in the Reign of Aurangzeb	<i>Economic and Social History of the Orient</i> , Leiden	
2007	Review Article: <i>Domesticity and Power in the Early Mughal World</i> (Ruby Lal)	<i>The Indian Economic and Social History Review</i>	
2008	Review Article: <i>Religion, State and Society in Medieval India</i> (Nurul Hasan)	<i>Studies in History</i>	

### Articles

1. 'Presenting the Self: Norms and Emotions in *Ardhakathanaka*', in Vijaya Ramaswamy and Yogesh Sharma (eds.), *Biography as History* (New Delhi: Orient, 2009), 105-122
2. 'The Mughal Port Cities of Surat and Hugli', in Lakshmi Subramanian (ed.), *Ports, Towns and Cities: A Historical Tour of the Indian Littoral* (Mumbai: Marg Publications, 2008), 78-93.
3. 'Religion in the History of 1857', in Shireen Moosvi (ed.), *Facets of the Great Revolt: 1857* (New Delhi: Tulika Books, 2008), 135-142.
4. 'The Religious Shade of the Rebellion', *Economic and Political Weekly*, Mumbai, XLII, No. 19 (May 12, 2007), 1681-82
5. '*Madaris* and the Challenges of Modernity in Colonial India', in Jan-Peter Hartung and Helmut Reifeld (eds.), *Islamic Education, Diversity and National Identity: Dini Madaris in India Post 9/11*, (New Delhi: Sage, 2006), 56-72.
6. 'Globalization and Post-Modernism: Defending Foucault's Interrogation of Modernity', in B.N. Patnaik and S. Imtiaz Hasnain (eds.), *Globalization, Language, Culture and Media* (Shimla: Indian Institute of Advanced Study, 2006), 233-246.
7. 'Forms of Civility and Publicness in Pre-British India', in Rajeev Bhargava and Helmut Reifeld (eds), *Civil Society, Public Sphere and Citizenship: Dialogues and Perceptions* (New Delhi: Sage, 2005), 84-105.
8. 'Towards a Theory of Social Communication in Pre-colonial India', *Proceedings of the Indian History Congress*, 63 session, Annamalai, 2002 (Kolkata, 2003), 396-411.
9. 'Muslim Liberal Reform Movements in Modern South Asia: A Quest for Identity and Power'; published under the title, 'The Quest for Identity', in Zubeida Mustafa (ed.), *The South Asian Century* (Karachi: Oxford University Press, 2001),

### Conference Presentations

1. 'The Qazi's Court in Mughal India: Imperial Laws and Local Practices', presented at the Conference on, 'Law Addressing Diversity', organized under the project on 'Pre-Modern Europe and India: A Comparison', Universitat Wien, Vienna, 22-25 May 2014.
2. 'Gender, Faith and Power: A Mughal Princess's Reconstruction of the Life of a Sufi Saint', presented at the Conference on 'The Mughal Empire under Shahjahan (1628-58): New Trends of Research', by the Institute of Iranian Studies/ Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna, May 26-27, 2014
3. 'Property and Power Relations in Mughal India: Litigations and Disputes at the Qazi's court in Urban Localities, 17-18<sup>th</sup> Centuries', Read (in absentia) at the Conference on 'Changing Perspectives of Landed Property in South Asia: Perspectives from History', organized by the South Asia Center, University of Pennsylvania (USA), April 18-19, 2014.
4. 'The Language and Instrumentalities of Law in Mughal India', presented at the International Conference on "Thinking Through Law: South Asian Histories and the Legal Archive" by Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, 25-27 April, 2013.
5. 'Political Life and the Anxieties of 'the Self' in the Mughal Court Culture', read at the International Conference on, 'Court Cultures in the Muslim World: Politics and Patronage (7<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> centuries), organized by Schloss Friedenstein, Gotha (Germany), 2-5 July 2007.
6. 'Emotions and Identity in India – A Survey of Historiography', presented at the International Conference on, 'Identity, Emotion and Culture: Languages and Literature of the subcontinent, c. 900- c. 1971', organized by the Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi, 21-23 December 2006.
7. 'Toward a State-in-Society Perspective: The Rule Structure in Gujarat during the eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries', presented at the colloquium on, 'Experience of Empire –Responses from the Provinces', organized by the European Union as part of the project on, 'Tributary Empires Compared', at Athens on 19-21 June 2006.
8. 'Representation of the Mughal State in the Nationalist Articulation of India's Composite Culture', presented at the Conference on, "Evolution of India's Composite Culture", Santiniketan, 2006.
9. 'Persian Sources on the English East India Company', presented at the seminar on 'Historiography in Medieval India and Central Asia', New Delhi, 29-30 March 2005. (Organized jointly by the Indian Council of Historical Research (ICHR), New Delhi).
10. 'Toward an Inclusive Islam: The Search for Shared Spaces in Liberal Islam in Post-Independence India'; read at the International Conference on 'Religion, Culture and Society: North India in the Nineteenth and the Twentieth Centuries', New Delhi, 17-19 December 2004 (Academy of Third World Studies, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi).
11. 'Pluralism, Cultural Diversity and Education in Contemporary India'; presented at the panel on 'Education and Society in India', Bareilly, 29-30 December 2004, sponsored by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India.
12. 'Presentation of the Self in the Autobiography of a Medieval Merchant: An Exploration of Norms and Emotions in Banarsidas' Autobiography'; presented at the seminar on 'Biography as History: Indian Perspectives', 27-28 February 2003 (Centre of Historical Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi).
13. 'The Form and Content of Education in the Madrasas in Colonial India', read at the seminar on 'Madrasa Education in India: Islamic Education, Diversity and National Identity Post 9/11', at Neemrana Fort Palace (Neemrana), 30 November- 2 December 2003, organized under the auspices of Konrad Adenauer Foundation (Germany).
14. 'Forms of Civility and Publicness in Pre-British India'; presented at the workshop on 'Civil Society, Public Sphere and Citizenship' at Bikaner, 7--10 November 2002, organized by the Konrad Adenauer Foundation (Germany).
15. 'The Emergence of 'public sphere' in Northern India in the Eighteenth Century'; presented at the symposium on the

<p><b>'Urban Phenomena in Indian History' at Amritsar, 29- 30 December 2002, organized by the Urban History Association of India (UHAI).</b></p> <p><b>16. 'Globalization and Post-modernism: Defending Foucault's Interrogation of Modernity', read at the interdisciplinary seminar on 'Globalization, Language, Culture and Media' at IIT, Kanpur, January 2001</b></p>
<b>Total Publication Profile optional</b>
<u>Books</u>
<u>In Indexed/ Peer Reviewed Journals</u>
<u>Articles</u>
<u>Conference Presentations</u>
<b>Public Service / University Service / Consulting Activity</b>
<p><b>Member of the Editorial Board of the journal, <i>Modern Asian Studies</i>, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge</b></p> <p><b>Deputy Director, Centre for Women's Studies, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh (2007-2012)</b></p> <p><b>University of Delhi's Representative on the Governing Body of the following Colleges in Delhi: S.G.T.B. Khalsa College (2008-2009) and Rajdhani College (2008-2009).</b></p> <p><b>Nominated Member of the Academic Council of Jamia Millia Islamia (New Delhi), (2009-2011)</b></p>
<b>Professional Societies Memberships</b>
<b>Fellow of the Cambridge Commonwealth Society, Cambridge</b>
<b>Projects (Major Grants / Collaborations)</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. Member, History Textbook Development Committee for Standard VII (National Council of Educational Research and Training, New Delhi), 2005-6; contributed the chapter, 'The Mughal Empire' for Class VII Textbook called, <i>Our Pasts – II</i> (New Delhi: NCERT, 2006).</b></li> <li><b>2. Member, History Textbook Development Committee for Standard XII (NCERT, New Delhi), 2005-6; contributed the chapter, 'Through the Eyes of Travelers: Perceptions of Society(c. tenth to seventeenth centuries)' for Class XII Textbook entitled, <i>Themes in Indian History, Part- II</i> (New Delhi: NCERT, 2006)</b></li> </ol>
<b>Other Details</b>

