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About Me

I am a results-oriented economist with 3+ years of experience. I have skilled in research, leadership, and data analysis. Moreover, I am passionate about environmental sustainability and driving positive change.

EDUCATION

M.Phil. in Economics Mar 2021- Jun 2023

The Islamia University of Bahawalpur

- CGPA: **3.63** out of **4.00**
- Thesis: Determinants of Pro-Environmental Behavior; An Experimental Study of IUB Employees

BS in Economics Feb 2017-Mar 2021

The Islamia University of Bahawalpur

- CGPA: 3.35 out of 4.00
- Thesis: Acceptance of Electronic Banking among University Students in Pakistan: An Application of Technology Acceptance Model (TAM)

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Fellowship Facilitator** January 2025- Current
Currently working as a Fellowship Facilitator, Skillistan.

- **Internee** October 2024- Current
Currently working as an Internee at National Tariff Commission, Pakistan.

- **Research Fellow** November 2023- October 2024
Served as a Research Fellow at the World Research and Development Hub.

- **Operational Manager** January 2023 - July 2023
Worked as an operational manager at Career Counselling & Placement Center, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur.

- **Teaching Assistant** April 2022- January 2023
Worked as a Teaching Assistant at Department of Economics, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur.

- **Project Manager (Voluntarily)** April 2021- July 2023
Worked as a Project Manager at Green Campus Project, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur.

SKILLS

- Fieldwork skills: Data Collection, Management, Operational, Team Leader
- Data Analysis: Excel, EViews, SPSS, Power BI

- Designing: Canva
- Leadership and Team Management

PUBLICATIONS

- **Zafar, M. A.**, Gill, A. R., Nawaz, M. A., & Ahmad, T. I. (2024). Fostering Environmental Friendly Habits through Awareness Intervention: An Experimental Study to analyze SDG 12. THE ASIAN BULLETIN OF GREEN MANAGEMENT AND CIRCULAR ECONOMY, 4(1), 4-1
- **Zafar, M. A.**, Bhatti, M. A., Nawaz, M. A., & Ahmad, T. I. (2023). Assessing the Influence of Renewable Energy Sources on CO2 Emissions: New Insights from Pakistan. iRASD Journal of Economics, 5(3), 825-844.
- Bhatti, M. A., **Zafar, M. A.**, Ali, A., & Asghar, H. (2022). Impact of Globalization and Tourism on Economic Growth: Fresh Evidence from Pakistan. *Pakistan Journal of Social Sciences*, 42(2), 495-506.

CONFERENCE & WORKSHOPS

- Environmental and Social Framework (ESF) Training
- MAHSA Projects Online QGIS and Archeology Training
- Applied Econometrics with R-Level 2
- From DHS Data to results: Mastering Qualitative Dependent Variable Analysis
- 1st International Virtual Conference Environmental Protection and Social Responsibility
- 1st International Conference on interdisciplinary Approach in Social Sciences
- Delegate at Local Conference of Youth Pakistan

VOLUNTEER WORK & LEADERSHIP

- President of IUB Green Youth Movement Society
- Captain of Green Youth Movement Club HEC
- Bahawalpur Literary and Cultural Festival 2022
- Green Campus Project-Volunteer
- Skillistan's SDG Impact Fellowship

REFERENCES

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