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Curriculum Vitae

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Brief Profile: 1-2 paragraphs (not exceeding 500 words)

1. Name: Dr. Safia Mehdi
2. Designation: Research Associate
3. Office Address: MMAJ Academy of International Studies
4. Mobile (Optional):
5. JMI Email (Primary): smehdi@jmi.ac.in Email (Secondary) : **Any Other**
6. Field(s) of Specialization:
7. Academic Qualifications (From Highest Degree to High School):

| Examination | Board / University | Year | Division/ Grade | Subjects |
|-------------|--------------------|------|-----------------|-----------|
| Ph.D | IIT, Delhi | 1990 | | Economics |
| M.A | A.M.U | 1980 | | Economics |
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8. Awards, Associateships etc.

| Year of Award | Name of the Award | Awarding Organization |
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9. Fellowships:

| Year of Award | Name of the Fellowship | Awarding Organization | From (Month/Year) | To (Month/Year) |
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10. Details of Research Projects:

| Title of Project | Funding Agency | Duration | | Status |
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| | | From | To | Ongoing/ Completed |
| Study of Social & Economics Import of Rural Road | | | | |

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| under the Diversified Agricultural Support Project (DASP) 2004 UPPWD World Bank | | | | |
| Study of Preparation of Vision of Statement and Strategic Road Master Plan for U.P 2011 UPPWD World Bank Completed | | | | |
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11. Details of Academic Work:

- (i) Curriculum Development
 Environment and the Third World.
 Urbanisation and the Third World.
 Sustainable Development in South Asia.
 Research Methodology
 International Environmental Governance

- (ii) Courses taught at M.Phil/Ph.D levels
 International Political economy
 Contemporary Globalisation

12. Number of PhDs Supervised:

| Name of the PhD Scholar | Title of PhD Thesis | Role (Supervisor/Co-Supervisor) | Year of Award |
|-------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Mohd. Waliullah | Rural Development Policies in South Asia: A Comparative Study of Rural Employment Schemes in India and Bangladesh | Co-Supervisor | |
| Sakshi Kharbanda (| Micro-Finance and Democracy: A study of India and Bangladesh | Co-Supervisor | |
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13. Number of M.Phils Supervised:

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| Name of the M.Phil Scholar | Title of M.Phil Dissertation | Role (Supervisor/Co-Supervisor) | Year of Award |
|----------------------------|--|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Mohd. Reyaz Zaidi | | Co-Supervisor | |
| Mohd. Waliullah | Rural Development Policies in Post Liberalization Era: A Comparative Study of South Asia | Co-Supervisor | 2009 |
| Upasana Koul | Development and Climate Change in Third World Countries: A Case Study of India | Co-Supervisor | 2010 |
| Dileep Kumar P.K | Dynamics of Urban Development and Environmental Transition in South Asia: A Case Study of Globalized Bengaluru | Co-Supervisor | 2010 |
| Bunny Suri | Formation and Problems of Slums in South Asia: A Case Study of Okhla (New Delhi) | Co-Supervisor | 2012 |
| Anju | Poverty and Environmental Degradation in India: A Critical Study | Co-Supervisor | 2012 |
| Rahul Verma | Food Security in South Asia - A Case Study of India | Supervisor | 2013 |

14. Papers Presented at Conferences/Seminars/Workshops/Symposia, etc.

| Date(s) | Title of Activity | Level of Event (International/ National/Local) | Role (Chairperson/ Paper presenter/ Discussant) | Event Organized by |
|---------|---|---|--|--|
| | Development of Transport Sector in the Planning Process of India | National | Paper presenter and Organiser of the Workshop National Workshop on Transport Policy 3-5Dec2006 | AIS |
| | Inter-Regional and Intraregional cooperation in central Asia:Challenges and Opportunities | National | Paper presenter Challenges of Transport cooperation in Central Asia after199 | AIS |
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| | Transport Development;Life Line of South Asia | National Symposium on Historical Perspective of Saarc and | Paper Presenter 18 th Aug 2004 | India International Centre National Media Centre |

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| | | Prospects of South Asian Economic Union | | |
| | Need for a Coherent and Integrated Transport Policy for South Asia | International Regional Cooperation in South Asia through Transportation | Paper Presenter | CILT Pakistan |
| | Urban Transport Policy Options in the Third World. | International International Conference on transport and Transportation System | Paper presenter and organiser | Dept of Economics Mumbai University |
| | Report of the Panel Discussion “Urbanization on Building Consensus, Rethinking Strategies 28 th February 2006, AIS | National | | |
| | Report of the Panel Discussion “Darfeer Internal Conflict and International Concerns 17 th November 2005, AIS | | | |
| | Dynamics of Urban Poverty in South Asia. | National Urban Poverty and the Dynamics of Development | Paper Presenter | Dept of Economics and Sociology Govt post Graduate College sector39 noida |
| | Cross Border Cooperation: A South Asia Perspective-2016 AIS | Internal | Paper presenter | AIS |
| | Multimodal Transportation as a tool for regional cooperation in South and Central | National | Paper presenter | AIS |

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| | Asia | | | | |
| | Gender and Transport | National Seminar Securing Group Rights Experiences of Human Rights in Asia and Africa | Paper Presenter | | AIS |
| | Role of Infrastructure in economic Development of Africa | Africa: Issues of Governance and Development National | Paper Presenter | | AIS |
| | Systems Approach to Transport Policy | | Recommendations of the Workshop2007 | | AIS |
| | Transportation Systems | | Proceedings of the National Conference on transportation systems April 24-26 2002 | | IIT Delhi Applied Systems Research Program and ATDI |
| | | International Conference Indo-Afghan Relations:Evaluating The Development And Strategic Partnership | Paper Presenter | | AIS 21-22 March2017 |
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15. Conferences/Seminars/Workshops/Symposia/Panel Discussion, etc. Organized (as Chairman/Coordinator/ Organizing Secretary/ Convenor / Co-Convenor):

| Title of Activity | Level of Event (International/ National/ Local) | Date (s) | Role | Venue |
|---|---|-------------|-------------|-------|
| National Workshop on “Transport Policy for the 11 th Five Year Plan 5 th to 7 th December 2006 in collaboration with Planning Commission, Ministry of Transport, DDA | National | 5-7 Dec2007 | convenor | AIS |
| National Seminar on Sustainable Development in South Asia: Issues in Environment and | 22-23 Aug 2006 | National | Co-convenor | AIS |

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| Infrastructure from 22 nd - 23 rd August 2006 | | | | |
| Panel Discussion “Urbanization: Building Consensus Rethinking Strategies 28 th February 2006 | 28 Feb2006 | | convenor | AIS |
| Symposia on “Function of the Commission of SC & ST 11 th March 2002 | 11 March2002 | | Co- convenor | AIS |
| Symposia on “Women’s Rights and The Functioning of the National Commission for Women February 8 th 2001 | 8 Feb2001 | | Co convenor | AIS |
| Symposia on “Human Rights and the Functioning of the Human Rights Commission 24 th October 2000 | 24thOct 2000 | | Co-convenor | AIS |
| Pokharan II and its after effects 26 th May 1998 | 26th | | | |
| National Seminar Media & Communication in the Third World 10 th April 1998 | | | | |
| National Seminar “Environment in the Third World Critical Challenges March 1995 | | | | |

16. Invited Talks Delivered:

| Topic | Date | Inviting Organization |
|--|------|-----------------------------|
| Role of Transport on Economic development and regional cooperation | | Internal lecture series AIS |
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17. Membership of Learned Societies:

| Type of Membership (Ordinary Member/ Honorary Member / Life Member) | Organization | Membership No. with date |
|--|---|--------------------------|
| Life member and Treasurer | Association of Transport Development in India | 1989 |
| President | Muslim Women Forum | 2001 |
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18. Academic Foreign Visits:

| Country | Duration of Visit | Programme |
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| Pakistan | 7days | International Conference and data collection |
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19. Publications:

(A) Refereed Research Journals:

| Author(s) | Title of Paper | Journal | Volume (No.) | Page numbers | Year | ISSN/ISBN Number | Impact Factor of the Journal (Optional) |
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(B) Books & Monographs:

| Author(s) | Title of Book/Monograph | Name of Publishers | Year of Publication | ISSN/ISBN Number |
|-----------|---|----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| | Urban Transport in the Third World. Occasional Paper Series 36 | Academy of International Studies | 2001 | |
| | Infrastructure Development and Cooperation between SAARC Nations no33 | Academy of International studies | 1999 | |
| | Effects of Transport on | Academy of International | 1994 | |

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| | the Environment: A Case Study of India Occasional paper no. 8. | Studies | | |
| | Transport Policy: Study of India and China no18 | Academy of International Studies | 1996 | |
| | The National Human Rights Commission: Critical Study | Academy of International Studies | 2000 | |
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(C) Chapters in Books:

| Author(s) | Title of Chapter | Title of Book | Name of Publishers | Year of Publication | ISSN/ISBN Number |
|-----------|---|---|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| | Transport, Globalisation and Regional Cooperation in South Asia | Globalisation and the Third World Issues Prospects and Challenges | MANAK | 2009 | 978-81-7831-199-9 |
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(D) Papers Presented at Conferences/Seminars/Workshops/Symposia Proceedings:

| Author(s) | Title of Abstract/ Paper | Title of the Proceedings | Page numbers | Conference Theme | Venue | Year |
|-----------|--|--------------------------|--------------|--|-------------------------|------|
| | Muslim Women in the 20 th century | | | Pathbreakers 20 th century Muslim Women Hyderabad | Salar Jung Museum | 2019 |
| | Understanding Islam | | | Perspectives on Islam | Indian Social Institute | 2018 |
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