

Curriculum Vitaé of Prof. M.H. Qureshi

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❖ *Chair Professor, Shri A.M. Khwaja Chair, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi (10.11.2010 - 30.06.2012)*

Academic Qualifications

Examination	Year	Division	Board/University
High School	1955	I	Board of H.S. and Intermediate Education, U.P., Allahabad
Intermediate	1957	I	-do-
B.A.	1959	II	University of Allahabad
M.A.	1961	I, Ist in merit	-do-
PhD	1970	-	University of Jodhpur

Title of the Ph.D. thesis: *Agricultural Geography of the Luni Basin (Rajasthan).*

Teaching Experience

Post	Institution	From	To	Years	Classes Taught
Lecturer	St. Johns' College, Agra	7.8.61	- 3.8.63	2	B.A. and M.A.
Lecturer	University of Jodhpur	5.8.63	- 28.2.75	11yrs.5 months	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
Asstt. Professor	Jawaharlal Nehru University	1.3.75	-20.5.81	6	M.A., M.Phil. Ph.D.
Associate Prof.	Addis Ababa University	21.5.81	-15.7.83	2ys.1 m	B.A., M.A., Research

Associate Prof.	Jawaharlal Nehru University	16.7.83 -17.3.91	9	M.A., M.Phil Ph.D.
Professor	Jawaharlal Nehru University	18.3.91 –12.4.96	5	M.A., M.Phil Ph.D.
Visiting Prof.	Bremen Univ. Germany	13.4.96 - 10.7.96	3 months	Guest Lectures
Professor	Jawaharlal Nehru University	15.7.96 –10.03.2008		M.A., M.Phil Ph.D.
Consultant	UGC, New Delhi	12.2.2009-9.11.2010	17 months	Consultation in research on Higher Education
Chair Professor	Shri A.M.Khwaja Chair, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi	10.11.2010- will continue till 30.06. 2012	20 months	Research in Geog. and Comparative religions

Video Lectures for Distance Education (UGC)

1. Prepared, scripted and provided the commentary of an education film "*Peasant Life in India*" of 20 minutes duration with the technical guidance and collaboration of Jamia Millia Islamia, Mass Communication Research Centre, New Delhi, in 1985. The film was prepared for UGC educational programme and has already been shown a number of times by Doordarshan.
2. Prepared the Scripts and delivered 40 video lectures on "*Regional Geography of the World*". These lectures of 30 minutes duration were prepared under the UGC programme of "Experts to the Remote Areas" and were coordinated by (Late) Prof. A. Ramesh, Head, Department of Geography, University of Madras, Chennai.

COURSES DEVELOPED AND TAUGHT

MA Level Courses

Meso-Regional Courses

1. Israel: A Meso-regional Study
2. Ethiopia: A Meso-regional Study
3. RD 403 Economic Geography with Special Reference to India — 4 Credits
4. RD 405 History of Geographical Thought — 3 Credits
(Taken over from Prof. A. Ahmad after his retirement, Updated and the course was given in collaboration with Dr. S. Sinha)

5. RD 515 Environmental Basis of Indian Agriculture — 4 Credits
(This course has been modified after updating it as Natural Resources and Environmental Concerns in Indian Agriculture, in collaboration with Dr. Sucharita Sen)
6. RD 516 Agricultural Geography with special Reference to India — 4 Credits
7. RD 531 Regional Aspects of Rural Development — 4 Credits
(The portion on Economics was handled by Dr. D.K. Mishra)

M.Phil Level Course

1. RD 622 Geo-economy of Dryland Agriculture — 2 Credits
(Developed in collaboration with Prof. Kusum Chopra and now being shared with Dr. D.K. Mishra)

PROJECT COMPLETED

Project on Economic Policy and Population Displacement granted by Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute and was conducted in collaboration with York University, Canada. The three colleagues who collaborated at CSRD level were me, Prof. A.H. Kidwai and Prof. Kusum Chopra. The project was completed in 2002.

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

Paper Published

1. Some Aspects of Agricultural Land use in Bhadwasiya Village (Jodhpur District), *Annals of Social Sciences*, Vol, I 1966-67.
2. Cattle Raising and Sheep Husbandry in the Luni Basin, *Indian Journal of Geography*, Vol. II, 1967.
3. Some Aspects of Land use in the Luni Basin, proceedings of the Symposium on 'Natural Resources of Rajasthan'. University of Jodhpur - October, 1968.
4. Some Aspects of the Land use in the Desert Margins, Proceedings of the Symposium on 'Arid Zone', XXI International Geographical Congress, Pre-Congress Symposium held at CAZRI, Jodhpur, 1968.
5. Geomorphic Units of the Luni Basin, *The Geographer*, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, December, 1975.
6. Problems of Agriculture in the Luni Basin, Prof. S.M. Ali memorial Volume, Saugar University, Sagar (M.P), 1976.

7. Variations in field Productivity - A Case Study of Khandewala Village (Haryana) Occasional Paper No.7, Centre for the Study of Regional Development, J.N.U, New Delhi, 1977. (With S. Nangia).
8. Some Aspects of Agro-Climatology, Proceedings of the Indo-Soviet Seminar held at Tbilisi, USSR, 1978 (With Prof A. Ahmad).
9. Trends of Rainfall in Southern Rajasthan, *Geographical Review of India*, Calcutta, December 1979 (With B.L. Teli).
10. Components of Agricultural Growth - A Case Study of Kerala, Proceedings of Annual Congress of NAGI, Chandigarh, 1980 (With S. Aparna).
11. Spatial Organization of Agricultural Facilities - A Case Study of Bulandshahr District, Abstracts of Paper of the Symposium of the `Role of Science and Technology in Rural Development: held in Udaipur, July, 1980 (With R. Chandra).
12. `Quest for Land Reforms: An Experience in Kerala'. In *Perspectives in Agricultural Geography* Vol. II, Mohammed, N. (ed.) Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi, 1980 (With S Aparna).
13. Optimal Utilization of Land Resources - A Case Study of Water Utilization in Punjab, Proceedings of the Indo-Soviet Seminar held in New Delhi, 10-13 December, 1980 (With R. Kaur).
14. Components of Agricultural Growth in Tamil Nadu 1960-63 and 1970-73, *National Geographer*, Vol. XVI No.1, 1981 (With G. Parimala).
15. Geographical Bases of Place Names in Ethiopia, *The Geographer*, Vol. XXXII, No.1 Jan, 1983.
16. Handicrafts and Small Scale Industries as Instruments of rural and Regional Development -A Case of Ethiopia, Proceedings of the Seminar held on `Regional Development and Planning in Ethiopia, Organized by Institute of Development Research, Addis Abaha University, and Central Supreme Planning Council, Ethiopia in Collaboration with Stuttgart Technical University, Stuttgart, 14-17 April, Agere Hiwot, (Ethiopia).
17. Ethiopian Tukul, *Graduate Programme Paper Series*, Addis Abaha University, July, 1983.
18. Levels of Agricultural Development in Tamil Nadu, *The Indian Geographical Journal*, Vol., 58, No.2 December, 1983.
19. Dialect as an Element in Perceiving the Regional Identity a Case Study of Northeastern Rajasthan and Southwestern Haryana, Proceedings of the symposium held under the auspices of NAGI Commission of Geography of Languages on 1st and 2 March, 1984, Alwar (Rajasthan)
20. Determinants of Agricultural Productivity - A Case Study of Mewat village,

Proceedings of the NAGI Congress held at BHU, Varanasi 27-29, December, 1985.

21. Primary Production and Environmental Degradation - A Note Proceedings of the symposium on 'Agricultural in 2000 AD' held at AMU, Aligarh, 2-4, March, 1986.
22. 'The Area and Yield of some selected crops in Dry Areas: An Evaluation of Water as a Determinant' in Shafi, M. & Raza, M. (eds.) *Dryland Agriculture in India*, Rawat Publications, Jaipur, 1987.
23. 'The Interactive System of Man and His Environment', in Sharma, H.S. & Sharma, M.L. (eds.) *An Appraisal in Environment Design and Development*, Scientific Publishers, Jodhpur, 1987.
24. Prathmik Utapadan Evam Paryavarniya Apakshay: Ek Mulyankan, *Geo-Science Journal*, Varanasi. Vol. III, Pt I, 1988.
25. Waste Lands: A Frame Work of Typologies and Determinants *The Geographer*, Vol. XXXV, No.2, July, 1988.
26. Forest Development Strategies and Forest Movements in Uttar Pradesh Himalaya, *The Geographer*, Vol. XXXVII No.2, July 1990 (With Dr. Dinesh Pratap)
27. Status of forest cover in Uttar Pradesh Himalaya *The Indian Geographical Journal*; Vol.65 No.2, December 1990, (With Dr. Dinesh Pratap)
28. Demographic Processes of Urbanization in Delhi, *Population Geography*, Vol. 14, Nos.1 and 2, June-December, 1992 (With A. Diwaker)
29. Forest, Fodder and Hill Agriculture: An Analysis of Interdependence in Uttar Pradesh Himalaya Region', *Indian Forester*, Vol.118, No.12, Dec.1992 (with Dinesh Pratap).
30. Fuel wood-Based Energy Consumption by Rural Households: A Case Study of Hill Regions of Uttar Pradesh, *Annals of NAGI*, Vol. XIII, No.2, December 1993 (with Dr.Dinesh Pratap).
31. Physical Processes of Urbanization in Delhi, '*Urban India*' Vol. XIII, No.2, July-December 1993 (With Dr. A. Diwaker)
32. Utilization of Compensation Money after Land Acquisition in Rural Delhi 1961-85, '*Urban India*' Vol. XIV No. 1; January-June 1994. (With Dr. A.Diwakar)
33. Spatial Spread of Maize Cultivation in India, *The Indian Geographical Journal*, Vol. 69, No. 1, June, 1994, pp. 19-27 (With Suresh Kumar)
34. Public Intervention in Land Market in Delhi: Some Issues to be Retrospected, *Nagarlok*, Vol.27, No.1, March 1995, Indian Institute of Public Administration, Delhi. (With Dr. A.Diwaker)
35. Bishnoi Community and Environmental Conservation: A Study of Their Perception,

DSA Working Paper No. 3, 1995, Centre for the Study of Regional Development, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi (with M S Jaglan & Suresh Kumar).

36. **Irrigational Development and Its Environmental Consequences in Arid Regions of India, *Environmental Management*, Vol.20, No. 3 pp. 323-336. May, 1996, University of Massachusetts, Amherst M.A. 01003-5820, USA. (With M.S. Jaglan).**
37. Anthropogenic Intervention and Resultant Changes in Land Use and Forest Cover in Uttar Pradesh Himalayas, *Indian Journal of Regional Sciences*, Vol. 28, No.1, pp. 33-38 (with Dr Dinesh Pratap)
38. Dynamics of Area under Maize: A District-wise Analysis, *Annals of the National Association of Geographers India*, Vol. 16 No. 1, June 1996. (With Suresh Kumar).
39. Housing and Sanitation in Rural Areas: A Micro-Level Analysis. *The Indian Geographical Journal*, Vol. 71, No. 2, December, 1996 (with Suresh Kumar & M S Jaglan).
40. **Household Energy and Common lands in Rural Haryana, India. *Environmental Conservation*, vol. 23, No. 4, December 1996, Cambridge University Press, UK (with Suresh Kumar).**
41. Growth of a Legendary City: Delhi through ages, *National Geographical Journal*, Vol. 42, Nos. 3 & 4, Sept.-Dec. 1996, pp. 184-190. (with Ashok Diwakar).
42. Livestock Economy as Strategy for Sustainable Rural Development: An Empirical Study in a Bishnoi Village' in Singh, A.L. (ed.) *Land Resource Management*, B.R. Publishing Corporation, New Delhi, pp. 333-349, 1997 (with M.S. Jaglan & Suresh Kumar).
43. **Common Property Resources and Rural Economy in Mewat: A Micro-Level Analysis. In Qureshi, M. H. (ed.) *Muslims in India Since Independence: A Regional Perspective*, Institute of Objective Studies, New Delhi, pp.161-180, 1998 (with Suresh Kumar).**
44. **Socio-Environmental Status of Common Property Resources in Rural Haryana, India. *Asian Profile*, Vol.26, No.3, June 1998, pp. 215-222, Asian Research Service, Canada (with Suresh Kumar).**
45. **Contributions of Common Lands to Household Economies in Haryana, India. *Environmental Conservation*, Vol. 25 No.4, December, 1998 Cambridge University Press, UK (with Suresh Kumar).**
46. Community and Conservation Concerns: A case study of an agrarian community in India, *Annals of the National Association of Geographers, India*, Vol. XX, No. 2, Dec. 2000. (With Suresh Kumar)

Papers Communicated

1. "Forest Policy and Human Displacement: Case Studies of Sariska and Rajaji National

- park Sanctuaries”, National Geographer, Allahabad
2. “Forest Policies and Population Displacement: A Review, Indian Geographical Journal, Indian Geographical Society, Chennai.

Chapter in Books

1. ‘**Conservation Concerns and Community Participation: A Case Study of Some Experiences in India**’ in “City, Society and Planning” Vol. III, edited by B. Thakur, George Pomeroy, Chris Cusacs and S. Thakur, Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi, 2007 pp 120-134.
2. ‘Conservation Practices and Religious Idiom: A Case Study of Bishnois in India’ in “Cultural Geography” Edited by Neelam Grover and Kashi Nath Singh ,Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi ,2004 pp 421-434
3. ‘Water Resources and Land use in India: Some interlinked’ Aspects in “Water Crisis and Sustainable Management” ,edited by D.N.Singh et al, Tara Book Agency, Varanasi, 2003 pp 140-152
4. ‘Conservation of Natural Resources’ in “Environmental Education” edited by Zeenat Kidwai Institute of Advanced Studies in Education ,Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi 2002 pp 115-128

Books

1. *Geo-Economic Evaluation for Micro-Level Planning- A Case Study of Gurgaon District.* Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi. (With Prof. A.K. Mathur)
2. *Principles of Geography Part II, Economic and Human Geography, for Class X* NCERT, New Delhi - 1989.
3. *Bhugol-ke-Siddhant*, Bhag II, Arthik Evam Manav Bhugol, NCERT, New Delhi - 1989.
4. *India: Resources and Regional Development.* NCERT, New Delhi, 1990.
5. *Bharat: Sansadhan Evam Kshetriya Vikas.* NCERT. New Delhi, 1990.
6. ***Man and His Environment (Urdu).* Foundation for Educational Development; New 1993 Delhi.**
7. ***Muslims in India since Independence: A Regional Perspective.* (Edited) Institute of Objectives Studies, New Delhi, 1998.**
8. ***Ecological Saints of Deserts*, Rajat Publications, New Delhi, July, 2004**
9. Chief Advisor of the Text Book Development Committee for Social Studies (Geography), N.C.E.R.T., for IX and X classes and all the text books in Geography for XI and XII classes, 2005-07.
10. Jamia Geographical Studies (Edited), 2011, Manak Publications Pvt. Ltd.

Compilation

Statistical Profile of Rural India, CSRD/JNU, (Mimeographed) December, 1979. (With Prof. S. Naqvi)

Ph.D. Theses Guided and Accepted for Award of Degree

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| 1. | Forest Resource Utilization, Its Development Strategies and Some Ecological Consequences: A Case Study of Hill Region of Uttar Pradesh | Dinesh Pratap | 1989 |
| 2. | Land Use in Kashmir Valley: An Agro-Ecological analysis | Ravi Kumar | 1990 |
| 3. | Impact of Irrigation on Environmental and Socio-Economic Conditions: A Case Study of Indira Gandhi Canal Command Area. | M.S. Jaglan | 1992 |
| 4. | Urban Expansion and Rural land Acquisition In the Fringe Villages: A Case Study of The Union Territory of Delhi | Ashok Diwakar | 1992 |
| 5. | Hydrological Characteristics and Irrigation Development in Euphrates River Basin: A Case Study of Irrigated Tracts of Al-Anbar Region
(Co-Guide Dr K.S. Sivasami) | Mahmood I. Mutib | 1993 |
| 6. | Land Units and Land Use in Chhota Tawa Basin; An Exploratory Geomorphological Study. | Ambadas S. Jadhav | 1994 |
| 7. | Irrigation Systems and Their Effect on Agricultural Development - A Case Study of West Bengal. | Sucharita Sen | 1995 |
| 8. | Common Property Resources in Rural Haryana: A Regional Analysis | Suresh Kumar | 1998 |
| 9. | Animal Husbandry and Rural Development: A Regional Analysis | Nishamani Kar | 1999 |
| 10. | Village Development Plan for Rural Settlements in a Metropolitan Region: A Case Study of Mitroan Village
(Supervised his work as joint supervisor in the Centre for Development and Appropriate Technology, IIT Delhi with Dr. Dilbag Kaur) | Anjan Sen | 1999 |

11.	Wasteland Identification, Monitoring and Reclamation: A Case Study of Sri Ganga Nagar District	Jyotsna	2002
12.	Environmental Issues in Agricultural Development and the Role of Community Participation – A Case Study of Himachal Pradesh	Richa	2003
13.	Participatory Forestry Management and its Political Economy – A Case Study of Andhra Pradesh	Ali Raza Moosvi	2004
14.	Child Labour in Rural Areas of Haryana:- Their Socio-Economic Determinants. (With Prof.S.K.Thorat)	Nidhi Sadana	2005
15.	Coal Mining and Its Impact on Environment and Human Health in Jharkhand.	Neeraj Singh	2006
16.	Development of Tourism on the West Coast of India : A Case Study of Selected Beach Resorts in the States of Goa and Keralam.	Sutheesana Babu S	2006
17.	The Development of Desert Tourism and Its Influence on Small Scale Industries and Handicrafts: A Case Study of Western Rajasthan	Shweta Gaur	2008
18.	Agro-Industrial Linkages in Uttar Pradesh: A Case Study of Sugar and Edible Oil Industries	Manu Chaturvedi	2008
19.	Structural Changes in Irrigation, Ground Water Depletion and Issues Related to Water Accessibility: A Case Study of Punjab (With Dr. Sucharita Sen)	Anindita Sarkar	2009

M.Phil Dissertations Supervised

1.	Spread of Area under High Yielding Varieties in the Punjab and Haryana (S. Naqvi)	Utpal Baruah	1977
2.	Inter-District Variations in agricultural Growth Rate in Kerala (S. Naqvi)	S. Aparna	1977
3.	Eastern Uttar Pradesh: A Spatial Analysis of Primary production	Rajpati Ram	1978
4.	Regional Structure of Haryana (S. Nangia)	Ashok Gogia	1978

5.	Spatial Organisation of Social Amenities: A Case Study of Bullandshahr District (A. Ahmad)	R.C. Sharma	1978
6.	Levels of Agricultural Development in Tamil Nadu - A Talukwise Study	G.Parimala	1979
7.	Regional Structure of Shekhawati	Bhajan Lal	1979
8.	Nagaland: An Analysis of its Regional Structure (H. Singh)	Anand Tamang	1979
9.	Availability of Water and Agricultural Development: A Case Study of Punjab.	Rabinder Kaur	1979
10.	Rainfall Characteristics and Productivity of Cotton, Jowar and Groundnut - A Case Study of Vidarbha Region. (K.S. Sivasami)	D. Dhok	1980
11.	Diffusion of Agricultural Innovations in Punjab.	Anita	1981
12.	Parameters of Rainfall and Their Influence on the Area and Yield of Some Selected Dry Crops - A Case Study of Marathwae Regions.	Jadhav Ambadas	1981
13.	Agricultural Productivity and Its Determinants in Orissa.	S.N. Mahapatra	1986
14.	Parameters of Rainfall and Area and Yield of Selected Crops in Drought Prone Areas of India.	Mahabir Singh	1986
15.	Role of Research Institutions in diffusing Agricultural Innovation - A Case Study of Haryana Agricultural University. (Moonis Raza)	Ram Phal	1986
16.	Changes in the Cropping Pattern and its Determinants : A Case Study of Bihar.	Manoj Kishan	1986
17.	Development of Irrigation, Cropping Pattern and Yield Levels of Some Selected Crops - A Case Study of Gujarat.	V.S. Bhanwar	1987
18.	Land Reforms and Land Distribution in West Bengal	Monirul Islam	1988
19.	Agricultural Transformation in West Bengal Since Independence	Sucharita Sen	1988
20.	Pattern of Agricultural Productivity and Its	Mohd. Umar	1988

Determinants in Uttar Pradesh

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| 21. | Bovine Economy of India - A Geographical Analysis | Nishamani Kar | 1989 |
| 22. | Land Reforms and Land Distribution in Bihar. | Md. Neyaz Ahmed | 1990 |
| 23. | Role of Tourism in the Economic Development - A Case Study of Tourism in Kerala. | Sutheeshna Babu S. | 1991 |
| 24. | Maize Cultivation in India: A Spatio-Temporal Analysis | Suresh Kumar | 1993 |
| 25. | Occurrence of Drought and Agricultural Development in Western India: A Case Study of Gujarat, Maharashtra and Rajasthan. | Juned Khan Komal | 1994 |
| 26. | Growth of Infrastructure and Agricultural Development in Punjab and Orissa. | Urmimala Chakravorty | 1994 |
| 27. | Changes in Cropping Pattern in National Capital Region in Response to Urbanization. | Suman Hooda | 1995 |
| 28. | Growth and Stability of Commercial Crops in Eastern India | Swapna Biswas | 1995 |
| 29. | Patterns of Area and Production of Oil-Seeds in India | Satish Kumar | 1995 |
| 30. | Cultivation of Rice and Labour Absorption - A Case Study of Haryana | Nidhi Sadana | 1996 |
| 31. | Landuse Pattern in Eastern India - A Cartographic Analysis | Kakoli Majumdar | 1996 |
| 32. | Tourist Industry In Sikkim | Sanjukta Sattar | 1997 |
| 33. | Wasteland Development in India- A Study in their Spatio-Temporal Patterns 1970-71 to 1990-91 | Jyotsna | 1999 |
| 34. | Joint Forest Management: A New Strategy for Rural Development | Ali Raza Moosvi | 1999 |
| 35. | Concentration and Dispersal of Tourism in Himachal Pradesh | Richa Arora | 1999 |
| 36. | Land Reforms in Uttar Pradesh and its Impact on Land Distribution | Vikas Asthana | 2001 |

37.	Rural Infrastructure and Agricultural Development in India	Manu Chaturvedi	2002
38.	Development of Tourism in Western Rajasthan	Shweta Gaur	2002
39.	Land Reforms and its Impact on Land Distribution in Bihar (Joint Supervision with Ravi Srivastava)	Ranjan. Choudhary	2002
40.	Workforce Diversification in Rural India: A State level Analysis	Pausumi. Basu	2004
41.	Natural resource Base and Agricultural Development: A Case Study of Punjab	Anandita Sarkar	2006
42.	Agrarian Structure and Its Implications for Agricultural Productivity and Rural Poverty in India: A State Level Analysis	Abhinav Kumar Jha	2008
43.	Panchayati Raj Institutions in Rajasthan: A Study of Its Structure and Role in Rural Development	Om Prakash Koli	2008
44.	Changes in Cropping Pattern and Agricultural Productivity in Irrigated and Un-irrigated Tracts of Rajasthan (1970-73 to 2000-03)	Narendra Kumar Rai	2008

Membership of Learned Societies

1. Life Member, National Association of Geographers, India (Unanimously Elected President for the Year 2009-10).
2. Life Member, Indian National Cartographic Association.
3. Life Member, Rajasthan Geographical Association.
4. Life Member, Indian Geographical Society, Madras University, Chennai, India.
5. **Permanent Member, Servants of People Society, New Delhi.**
6. Member, Editorial Board of *Indian Geographical Journal*, University of Madras, Chennai.
7. Referee of Articles in *Environmental Management*, published by Springer - Verlag, New York, Inc./175 Fifth Avenue/New York/NY 10010.
8. Referee of Articles in *Environmental Conservation*, published by Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, U.K.
9. Member, Advisory Board of *Himalayan Studies Journal*, published by Institute of

Seminar/Symposia Attended During the Last 15 years.

1. Guest of Honour in the inaugural session of the National Seminar of the department of Geography, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh on 1st and 2nd March 2011
2. Chaired the Annual Conference of National Association of Geographers, India, at Chandigarh, as its President on 18th to 20th of November, 2010.
3. Chaired a session on “Pollution of Water Bodies” in a conference on “Role of Youth in the Conservation of Environment” in an International Conference organized by Kamla Nehru College, New Delhi on 3rd August, 2009.
4. Attended seminar and delivered key note address on “Agricultural Development: Indian Experience”, Department of Geography, Punjab University, Chandigarh on 18th February, 2009.
5. Attended seminar on Sustainable Development Strategy: A Comparative Experience of India and Canada, organized by Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute, Calgary and Delhi at University of Ottawa, Canada, 9th June, 2008.
6. Attended seminar organized by National Association of Geographers, India on 18th-20th November 2008 at University of Allahabad.
7. Chaired a session on, “Geography: Emerging Vistas” Annual Conference of National Association of geographers, India held at Udaipur, on 21.11.2007
8. Participated in the panel discussion on “Desertification; Processes and Consequences”, Annual Conference, NAGI, held at Udaipur, 19.11.2007
9. Participated in the panel discussion on “Cultural Practices, Resource Utilisation and Management”, Annual Conference, NAGI, held at Udaipur, 20.11.2007
10. “Religion and Politics” organised by Interfaith Foundation in India International Centre, New Delhi, 18th July 2006, acted as discussant on the lecture by Prof. Ted G. Jelen, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, USA
11. Workshop of Experts on, “Survey of Research in Geography” ICSSR, New Delhi on 1st June 2006
12. History Memory and Historic City Management, School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi and European Union – Asia Link workshop, presented a note on “Historic Delhi Sweet and Difficult Memories-Its Impact on Cognizance and Protection” April 7th 2006
13. Internal Autonomy and Empowerment in Higher Education (Chaired Session), Jamia Millia Islamia, March 17-18, 2006
14. Attended a seminar on “Inter-Civilisational Dialogue in a Globalising World” Presented paper on “Relevance of India’s Composite Civilisational Legacy”

organised by Institute of Objective Studies on 8th and 9th April 2005.

15. Attended a session on “Environmental Resource Monitoring and Assessment: Application of remote Sensing and chaired a session on “Applications in Agriculture, Forestry and Water shed Management” organised by CSRD, on 30th March 2005

16. Chaired a session on “Socio-Political Perspectives of Water Management” in the Seminar on” Water: Grass-root Concerns” organised by Developing countries Research Centre, Delhi University on 29th March 2005

17. Seminar on ‘Indian Heritage’ organised by Indian Council of Philosophical Research on 16 and 17th March 2005

18. “Contemporary Issues in Geography”, Department of Geography, Dyal Singh College, New Delhi, on 11th & 12th March, 2005.

19. “Geography, Resources and Society”, Geography Association, Jamia Millia Islamia on 15.10.2004.

20. “Trends in Teaching and Research of Geography in the 1st quarter of 21st Century”, Department of Geography, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on 3.3.04.

21. Teaching and Research in Geography: A Historical Perspective, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, February 2004

22. Samkaleen Paridrishya, Ameriki Samrajyavad Tatha Bharat, M.L.Sukhadia University, Udaipur on 28.3.2003.

23. Panel discussion “Secularism and National Integration”, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on 6.3.2003.

24. Rural development; concept and concerns, delivered keynote address, D.G. College, Kanpur, 18.11.02.

25. Economic policy, population displacement and development ethics, Carleton Univ., Ottawa on 6.12.2000 and at Toronto Univ. on 11th and 12th December, 2000 organized by SICI – CIDA, Canada.

26. Chaired the Seminar on *Energy, Environment and Developmental Issues in India* Organized by NAGI Commission on Energy Environment and Development held at Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi on December 24, 1997.

27. Attended and chaired a session in International Seminar on *Environment, Energy and Technology: Regional and Global Perspectives*, on December 11-15, 1997, organized by Department of Geography, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi.

28. Attended and chaired a session in International Conference on *Resource Management and Development Strategies*, on November 24-27, 1997 organized by Dept. of Geography, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.

29. Attended National Conference on *Population, Poverty and Pollution*, March 14-16, 1996,

Dept. of Geography, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.

30. Inaugurated the Annual Conference of the Rajasthan Geographical Association held at the Department of Geography, M.L. Sukhadia University, Udaipur on 17th of November 1995 and attended the Seminar on *Resources Developmental Process and Environmental Implications* from 17th to 19th of November 1995.

31. Chaired the Seminar on *Energy, Environment and Development* organized by the NAGI Commission on Energy, Environment and Development, held at M.L. Sukhadia University, Udaipur on 20.11.1995.

32. Workshop-cum-Seminar on *Delhi's Water: Problems and Alternatives* held at IIC, New Delhi, organized by Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage (INTACH), Delhi on 8th of July 1995.

33. Attended and Chaired a session in the International Seminar on *Environment sustainable Development and Human Health* 11-15 February 1995, organized by Department of Geography, B.H.U., Varanasi.

34. Attended and Chaired a session in the National Seminar on *Resources and Sustainable Development* on 23-25 October, 1994 Department of Geography, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.

35. *Himalayan Environment and Development* H.N. Bahuguna Garhwal University, Pauri Campus, Pauri (Garhwal) 17th and 18th April 1994.

36. Presided in the inaugural session of the annual conference of the Rajasthan Geographical Congress and attended the Seminar organized on the occasion on the theme, *Environment and Eco-Development*, at Alwar on March 17th, 1994.

Academic Lectures Delivered on the Following Themes

1. Delivered Keynote address in the national Seminar on Resources, Environment and Sustainable Development on 2nd November, 2011 at HNB Garhwal University Srinagar Uttarakhand
2. Delivered Prof. C.D. Deshpande Memorial Lecture on 5th March, 2009 organised by Deptt. Of Geography, University of Bombay, Vidyanagari, Mumbai.
3. Delivered Prof. Moonis Raza Memorial Lecture on the theme of "*Unity in Diversity: Revisited*", University of Allahabad, 18th November, 2008.
4. Panel Discussion on Cultural Practices, Political Economy of Resource Utilisation and Management, Annual Conference of National Association of Geographers, India, Udaipur, 21-11-07.
5. Physical Environment, Resources and Economic Development, Academic Staff College, BHU, Varanasi, 27-03-07.
6. Issues of Conservation of Land, Water and Forest Resources with special Reference to India", Academic Staff College, B.H.U, Varanasi on 27th March, 2007.

7. Environment, Economic Development and Issues related to Conservation, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 13-12-06.
8. Environment, Society and Culture, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 05-09-06.
9. Religion and Politics organized by Inter-Faith Foundation in India International Centre, New Delhi, 08-07-06.
10. Historic Delhi: Sweet and Difficult Memories, Its Impact on Cognisance and Protection, Seminar on History, Memory and Historic City Management organized by SPA, New Delhi under the aegis of European Union Link workshop, 07-04-06.
11. “Environmental Degradation and Common Property Resources” Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 15.12.05.
12. Prof. R.N. Dubey Memorial Lecture, “Water: A Study in Abundance, Scarcity and Conservation”, Department of Geography, University of Allahabad, 16.11.05.
13. “Resources: Concept, Types, Utilisation and Conservation”, In-service Training Course of PGTs in Geography ,Kendriya Vidyalaya, Vigyan Vihar, Delhi, 20.5.05.
14. Religion, Linguistic Diversity and Social Cohesion, Govt. College, Gurgaon, 28-02-05.
15. Space Element in Economic Development, Academic Staff College, JNU, New Delhi, 13-01-05.
16. Research Methods in Agricultural Geography, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 03-01-05.
17. “Agricultural Geography and Planning” Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 03.01.05.
18. Physical Environment Resources and Conservation Issues, Academic Staff College, Aligarh Muslim University, 22-12-04.
19. Geography and Employment Avenues, Refresher Course for PGTs organised by SCERT and CSRD, JNU, New Delhi, 03-06-04
20. Administration of Higher Education, Refresher Course for Educational Administrators, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 16-12-03.
21. Theories in Agricultural Geography, Academic Staff College, Delhi University, Delhi, 13-12-03.
22. Water-Use and Agricultural Development, Academic Staff College, Aligarh Muslim University, 04-12-03.
23. Unity in Diversity in India”, Centre for Human Resource Development (Academic Staff College), University of Delhi, 20.11.03

24. Recent Trends in the Study of Agricultural Geography, Department of Geography, Jammu University, Jammu, 27-09-03.
25. Indian Society and Inter-Religious Dialogue, Academic Staff College, JNU, New Delhi, 16-07-03.
26. Resource Use and Sustainable Development, Refresher Course for PGTs in Geography organised by Kendriya Vidyalaya, Vigyan Vihar, Delhi, 14.6.03.
27. Geography as a Discipline, Refresher Course for PGTs in Geography organized by SCERT and CSRD, JNU, New Delhi, 02-06-03.
28. Integrated Teaching of Social Studies, course for TGTs organised by SCERT Defence Colony, New Delhi, 27.5.03
29. Conceptualising India in the Context of Her Pluralism and Identities, Academic Staff College, JNU, New Delhi, 15-04-03.
30. Environmental Parameters and Economic Development, Academic Staff College, JNU, New Delhi, 09-01-03.
31. India: Land and People, Department of Women Studies NCERT, New Delhi, 11-11-02.
32. Integrated Teaching of Social Studies in Schools, Refresher Course for TGTs organized by SCERT, New Delhi, 14-10-02.
33. Contemporary Problems of Higher Education, Panel Discussion, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on 23rd June, 2001
34. Conservation of Land, Water and Forest in India: Inaugural address, Rajasthan Geographical Congress, M.L. Sukhadia University, Udaipur on 10th Nov., 2000.
35. Modernization of Indian Agriculture, Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi on 28th May, 2000.
36. Geography as Professional Science and Career Opportunities for Geography Students. Shahid Bhagat Singh College, Delhi University, 2nd Feb., 2000.
37. Agricultural Development and Planning- Issues and Strategies, Academic Staff College, Jamia Millia Islamia, 24.07.1999.
38. "Significance of CPRs in Sustaining the Poor", Deptt. of Economic Growth and Regional Planning, Barkatullah Unoversity, Bhopal, May 22,1999.
39. "Common Property Resource-Area in India", Deptt. of Geography, Punjab University, Chandigarh, February 12, 1999.
40. Field Work as a Major Component in Geographical Studies Refresher Course for Teachers, Delhi Public School, R.K.Puram, 08.11.1998.
41. "Community and Conservation Concerns: A Case Study of Bishnois", Deptt. Of Geography, University of Delhi, 18.09.1998.

42. "Cultural Diversity in India", Rajasthan Geographical Association, Govt. College, Ganganagar, January 10, 1998.
43. "Community and Conservation Concerns: A Case Study of an Agrarian Community in India", Guest Lecture, University of Bremen, Germany, 13.6.96.
44. "Conservation concerns of communities: A case study from India", Dept. of Geography, Bremen Univ., Bremen, Germany. On 23rd June, 1996
45. "Regional Imbalances; Concept and Measurements" Department of Geography, Kirori Mal College, Delhi University, Delhi, 19th September 1995.
46. "Time as another Dimension in Geography", Department of Geography, Shaheed Bhagat Singh College, Delhi University, New Delhi, 24th September 1995.
47. "The Natural Environment and People in the Kashmir Valley", organized by Department of Geography, Kumaon University, Nainital, 20th April 1995.
48. "Land and People in Ethiopia" Deptt of Geography, University of Nainital, on 11th April 1994.
49. "Geography as an Integrative Discipline", Dronacharya Govt. College, Gurgaon on 22nd February 1994.
50. Agricultural Productivity; Concept and Measurement, Department of Geography Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi on 9th December 1993.
51. The Fourth Dimension in Geography, Academic Staff College, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh (U.P.) on 25th November 1993.
52. Rural Development in India, Academic Staff College, Jai Narayan Vyas University, Jodhpur, 26th July 1993.
53. Access to and Economics of Education in India, Academic Staff College, J.N.V. University, Jodhpur (Rajasthan), 25th July 1993.
54. Sustainability of Agriculture in the Irrigated Tracts of Arid and Semi-Arid Regions, Academic Staff College, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh (U.P.) 20th July 1993.

Participation in the Administrative Function and helping the Students in their Residential Life and Discipline

1. **Advisor** Mountaineering and trekking club of J.N.U. from 1976 to 1980.
2. **Chairman** University Sports Committee 1991-93.

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| 3. | Coordinator & Advisor | M.A. Programme in Geography, CSRD, School of Social Sciences, JNU, 1985-1992. |
| 4. | Provost | Uttarakhand Halls of Residence, JNU, 1991-1993. |
| 5. | Chief Proctor | Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, October 1993 - 31st December, 1995. |
| 6. | Chairperson | Centre for the Study of Regional Development, JNU, 13.4.99 to 16.7.99 |
| 7. | Dean of Students | JNU, 1.7. 99 – 2.9. 2002 |
| 8. | Chief Vigilance Officer | J.N.U. 2002–03 |
| 9. | Hon. Director | Northern Regional Centre, ICSSR, New Delhi, 2.9.02. 2004 to 30.6.2004. |
| 10. | Chairperson | Contract Labour Committee, JNU, New Delhi, 2007–2008. |

Countries Visited

1. Ethiopia, 1981-83.
2. Germany, 1996.
3. Pakistan, 1997.
4. Turkmenistan, 1997.
5. Bangladesh, 2003.
6. Canada, 2000 & 2008.

Membership of Academic Bodies

1. Secretary, Departmental Graduate Committee, University Addis Ababa, 1982.
2. Member, College of Social Sciences Commission, University of Addis Ababa, 1982-83.
3. Member, Center's Committee, Centre for West Asian and African Studies, SIS, JNU, 1989-91.
4. Member, Board of Studies, H.N.B. Garhwal University, Srinagar (U.P, 1990-1992)
5. Member, Research Degree Committee, Devi Ahilya vishwavidyalaya, Indore

(M.P), 1989-91.

6. Member, Board of Studies, Rohilkand University, Bareilly (U.P) 1990-92.
7. Member, Board of Studies, School of Social Sciences, JNU since 1991.
8. Member, Academic council, JNU since 1993.
9. Member, UG Board of Studies, M.D. University Rohtak (Haryana) 1992-94.
10. Member, University Court, JNU, since Oct.1993 till September 2002.
11. Member Graduate Board of Studies, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, (Haryana) 1993-95
12. Member Board of Studies in Geography, BHU, Varanasi, since 20th April 1995.
13. Chairman NAGI Commission on Energy Environment and Development.
14. Member Faculty of Science, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, Since 16th April, 1996.
15. Member, P.G. Board of Studies, M.D. University, Rohtak, Since May, 1996.
16. Member Governing Body, Bhagini Nivedita College, Mitroan, Delhi, 1999.
17. Member Faculty of Science, Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi, 1999-2001
18. Member Academic Council, Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi, 2000-2006
19. Member Research Degree Committee in Geography, CCS Univ., Meerut, 2000-2002
19. **Member Rehabilitation and Resettlement Committee, Narmada Control Authority, Govt. of India, Min. of Social Justice and Empowerment, 2000-continuing**
20. Member School Board, School of Soc. Sc., University of Hyderabad, 2004-2006
21. Member Board of Studies, Geography Department, AMU, Aligarh, 2004-2006
22. Member Board of Studies, Geography Department, Jamia Millia Islamia, 2005-08
23. Member Graduate Board of Studies, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, (Haryana) 2005-2008
24. Member Board of Post Graduate Studies in Geography, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, 2006-08

25. Member Faculty of Science, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, 2006-08
26. Member Executive Council, B.P.S. Women University, Sonipat, Haryana - 2006-08
27. Member Board of Undergraduate Studies in Geography, M.D. University, Rohtak 2007-2009
28. Member Governing Body, Kamala Nehru College, (University of Delhi), New Delhi-110049, 27.12.2007 to May, 2009
29. Member Board of Research Studies, Centre for Central Asian Studies, University of Kashmir, Srinagar, 2008-10
30. Member Governing Body, Zakir Hussain College, University of Delhi, Delhi, 2009-10 and 2010-2011
31. Member Consultative Committee and Board of Studies in Geography, Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga, 2009-10
32. Member Standing Committee for Monitoring Quality of Ph.D degrees in Indian Universities appointed by UGC.
33. Member Board of Studies, Department of Geography, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi-110025. 11.11.2010- continuing

Social Service Activities

1. Secretary, JNUTA, JNU, 1984
2. Vice-President, JNUTA, JNU, 1985
3. Treasurer, JNUTA, JNU, 1986.
4. Promoter Member, JN Coop. Group Housing Society.
5. President, JN Coop. Group Housing Society Ltd., 1987-90.
6. **Vice-President, Sadbhav Mission, New Delhi.**
7. Vice President, Akhil Bharat Rachnatmak Samaj founded by (Late) Ms. Nirmala Deshpande.
8. Convener of Association of Peoples of Asia, New Delhi established in 1994 in collaboration with (Late) Ms. Nirmala Deshpande.

Other Social Commitments and Activities

1. As a student of Allahabad University, I became involved in social service through N.C.C. and Social Service league. We used to visit one of the adopted villages in

Allahabad and organised relief camps at Sangam during Magh Melas.

2. The Continuous involvement in Social Service activities created a sense of social Commitment and in 1984, I as the Secretary JNUTA, worked in a camp in Shakur Basti alongwith the JNUSU and we were also involved in rehabilitating 70 Sikh widows in Sultanpuri.
3. We again worked in Janta Colony of Seelampur after the riots in December 1992. We were helping a voluntary medical unit responsible for looking after the injured and ill men, women and children.
4. I have been actively involved in studying the problems of minorities, particularly Muslims, consequently wrote a book "Muslims in India Since Independence: A Regional Perspective" (Book is listed in the publications). In guiding the students, we handled topics related to the problems of women and children in India. Some of the research was directed towards this end. As part of the Shastri Indo-canadian Institute's project, I handled the problems of rehabilitation of Bun-Gujar tribes from Rajaji Park. I also contributed in the study on rehabilitation of bonded labour. As expert member of Rehabilitation and Re-settlement sub-group, Narmada Control Authority, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, we have been educating proper rehabilitation of the oustees particularly the tribal oustees ousted from the submergence zone of the dams.

Interest in the Village Studies

Coming from a village, I developed special interest in village studies and rural development programmes. The following socio-economic surveys were undertaken in different villages over the years.

1. Badagaon, Barabanki District (U.P.), 1996
2. Kalwas, Hisar District (Haryana), 1993
3. Jaunapur, Mandi and Deragaon, (Delhi) 1990
4. Jitholi, Meerut District (U.P) 1988
5. Bhitri Saidpur, District Ghazipur (U.P) 1987
6. Khandewala, (Revisited) District Gurgaon (Haryana) 1985
7. Shahzadpur Dungran: A Mewat Village, District Gurgaon (Haryana) 1984
8. Barnala Kalan, Jalandhar District (Punjab), 1978
9. Angucha, District Bhilwara (Rajasthan) 1977
10. Sholda, District Meerut (U.P) 1976.
11. Khandewala, District Gurgaon (Haryana) 1975.
12. Kairu, District Jodhpur (Rajasthan) 1970-71

13. Parlu, District Barmer (Rajasthan) 1967
14. Bhadwasia, District Jodhpur (Rajasthan) 1965.

Flowing from my experiences of village studies, a course on "*Regional Aspects of Rural Development*" has been introduced at the M.A.level in the Centre for the Study of Regional Development, School of Social Sciences, JNU, New Delhi.

Popular Lectures Delivered During the last 15 years.

1. "Cultural Diversity and Peaceful Co-existence in India", Annual Conference of Akhil Bharat Rachnatmak Samaj held at Tirupati (A.P.) on 2-3 September 1994.
2. "Unity of Religions" Discussions organized by Nehru Yuvak Kendra on the occasion of Kumbh Mela at Allahabad on 2nd February 1995.
3. "Gandhi and Rural Development" on the occasion of 125th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, 2nd October 1995, at Rajghat, Delhi.
4. "Our Festivals in the Environmental Context", organized by Lajpat Bhavan on 20th October 1995.
5. "The Question of Coexistence", delivered at Chitrakut, Banda (U.P.) 31 December, 1995.
6. "The Geographical Positioning of SAARC Countries", Hyderabad Club, Hyderabad, November 17, 1996.
7. "Role of Intellectuals in Promoting Communal Harmony", City Palace, Jammu, April 27-28, 1997.
8. "Communal Harmony: A Necessity in India Sarvadharm Sambhav Meeting", Gandhi Kashi Vidhyapeeth, Varanasi, January 17, 1998
9. "Tolerance and Accomodation as Hallmarks of Indian Ethos", Annual Conference of Akhil Bharat Rachnatmak Samaj, Rishikesh, March 17, 1999
10. "Vinoba Bhave: Satyagrahi and Social Philosopher", Vinoba Bhave Birthday Celebration, Gandhi Darshan, Rajghat, New Delhi, September 11, 1999
11. Inter-Faith and Inter-Religious Dialogue, Maharashtra Inst. of Engg. Education, Pune, 30th March, 2000
12. Terrorism, World Peace and India, Lecture delivered in the National Integration Camp, Hali Park, Panipat, 02-11-02
13. "Value Systems in Different Religions", workshop on value systems for Teachers in Madrasas, Hamdard Educational Society, Talimabad, New Delhi

- on 26.4.03.
14. Issues of Communal Harmony in India, DPS, Maruti Kunj, Gurgaon, Haryana, 02-12-03.
 15. “Communal Harmony: A Prerequisite for Development” Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi on 23.12.2003.
 16. “The Importance of Human Values” Hamdard Public School, Talimabad on 16.1.2004.
 17. Inter-Faith Dialogue and Communal Harmony, Senior Citizens Forum, Sector-27, NOIDA, 16-05-04
 18. “Commonality of all the Religions”, Satya Sai International Centre, New Delhi, different batches of Orientation Programme for the Principles of Kendriya Vidyalaya, Navodaya Vidyalaya and Army Public Schools during 2004, 2005 and 2006.
 19. “Kashmir Problem: A geographical View Point”, Senior Citizen’s Forum, Sector-27, NOIDA, Gautam Budhhnagar, 16.1.05.
 20. Value Systems(Aqdar) Across the Religions”, Orientation Programme for Teachers in Madarsas Organised by Hamdard Educational Society, Talimabad, New Delhi. 14.5.05
 21. “Peace is not Possible Without Love” Maitreyi College, Bapudham, New Delhi. 1.2.06
 22. Relevance of the Teachings of Bhagwan Mahabir in The Modern Times organised by South Delhi Jain Sabha, Jain Temple, Sarojini Nagar, New Delhi, 11.4.06.
 23. “Regional Dimensions of Cultures in India”, Extension Lecture in Kurukshetra University, November 14, 2006.
 17. “Unity of All the Religions”, and “Religion and Leadership” Jammu and Kashmir Light Infantry Regimental Centre, Under Mandir– Masjid– Gurdwara (MMG) Programme, 19th and 20th April, 2007.
 18. “Living Together”, to the language Teachers of Colleges organized by Satya Sai International Centre, New Delhi, 14th June 2007.
 19. “Commonality of All the Religions” to the Principals of Kendriya Vidyalaya organized by Satya Sai International Centre, New Delhi, 5.12.2007
 20. “Commonality of All the Religions” to the Principals of Kendriya Vidyalaya organized by Satya Sai International Centre, New Delhi, delivered to 5 batches in 2008
 21. “Basic Tenets of Islam and Common Elements with Other Religions”, lecture delivered to Bal Vikas teachers at Satya Sai Ashram, Puttaparthi (Shanti Nilayam), Anantpur, A.P. on 24th March, 2009
 22. “Commonality of all the Religions” to the Principals ,Navodaya Vidyalaya organized by

Sri Satya Sai International Centre, New Delhi on 13.05.2009.

23. “Commonality of all the Religions” to the Principals ,Navodaya Vidyalaya organized by Sri Satya Sai International Centre, New Delhi on 17.06.2009.
24. “Inter-Faith Harmony” along with Dr. A K Merchant and Maulana Waheeduddin Khan to the Principles of Navodaya Vidyalaya organized by Sri Satya Sai International Centre, New Delhi on 21.07.2009.
25. Organized a conference on, Interfaith Harmony: An essential element of the secular fabric of India, on 15th March 2011 under the aegis of Shri A.M.Khwaja Chair, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.
26. Organized a National symposium on Paradigm Shift in Geography in collaboration with Department of Geography Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi on 28th & 29th November, 2011

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