

**Prof. Farhat Basir Khan**  
Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Chair  
AJK Mass Communication Research Centre, JMI

Overview of Work done as full time regular Professor tasked with teaching and administrative work from 2009-2015

**ACADEMIC POSITIONS HELD:**

- Professor on Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Chair, AJK Mass Communication Research Centre, Jamia Millia Islamia
- Professor of Media & Communication 2007 to 2009, AJK MCRC, JMI
- Founder Director & Professor, Academy for Photographic Excellence, Vasant vihar, Delhi
- Member of the Editorial board Journal of Scientific temper (JST) (CSIR-National Institute of Science Communication and Information Resources)
- Associate Professor, AJK MCRC, Jamia Millia Islamia

1. Discharged my regular teaching duties by taking classes for the MA in Mass Communication the flagship program of the AJK Mass Communication Research Centre
2. Supervised research dissertations, productions and making of final products of the students and their exhibition and evaluation
3. Conceived and floated a new program the One year PG Diploma in Photography and visual communication, which received applications and an overwhelming response from students.
4. Taught classes for the PG Diploma students as well since no regular additional faculty was appointed
5. Co-ordinator, PG Diploma in Still Photography & Visual Communication, since 2007
6. Co-ordinator, MA Mass Communication, AJK MCRC, JMI
7. Academic Counsellor for Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) - Delivered consultation and counselling to students pursuing the Diploma programme in Writing for Radio and Feature writing
8. Coordinator, Consortium for Educational Communication (CEC) EDUSAT - Instrumental in setting up the CEC facility for reception of satellite educational broadcasts and conferencing
9. Supervised and designed the visual content at present website of JMI, Provided aesthetic inputs to making the website visually appealing and engaging, as special invitee for the website committee

2008-2009

**Seminars/Conferences/Workshops organized by Faculty Member Prof. Farhat Basir Khan**

- Organised & conducted two day Workshop at IIT Kanpur on Photography, Composition, Aesthetics, Post Production in the Digital era, 30-31st May, 09

- Organised One day Intensive hands on Workshop chaired and coordinated by me featuring leading advertising & fashion Photographer Atul Kasbekar. Was attended by students from all major departments & faculties like the Department of Fine arts, Architecture JMI, students from other premiere centres like NIFT, IIT- Delhi & JNU also attended the workshop.

- Conceived & conducted Major Exhibition & Walk in Symposia VOTOGRAPHY using multi-media Photography & Street Performance, a week long festival of Images, text & music to engage with the youth & create awareness for voting. Highly appreciated by the Media. April '09

- Conceived & Conducted a two day workshop for IIT- D (Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi) on Photography & the Indian Masters 2008

#### **Fellowships & Honours Received by Faculty Members**

- Led the team which won Asia in the Sony world photography award beating top universities from 10 countries in Asia including china and Russia
- Jury: International Broadcast Convention (IBC) Amsterdam, 2008

#### **Seminars & Conferences Attended**

- Attended a week long Workshop & sessions with the best Photographers & Photo agencies from across the world from 12th-17th April at Cannes, France , part of the very prestigious Palais des festival.
- Attended a workshop by the Alkazi Foundation IIC Annexe' on colonialism & early Influences on Indian Photography 2008

#### **Lectures & talks delivered**

- Lecture to Academic Staff College Refresher Course Attendees On Indian Cinema Through the ages 2008

#### **Consultancy provided by faculty members**

- Consultant for setting up School of Media & Mass communication for monad educational society. Providing strategic support, direction and guidance for School of Journalism and Mass Communication (Mass Media, Print Media & Electronic Media).
- Co-ordinate with authors, editors for Design and Development of curriculum and quality material for Journalism & Mass Communication.
- Advising on setting up of laboratories, workshop, Studios etc.

#### **Membership of Academic & Professional Bodies**

Life Member India international photographic council

#### **Additional contribution to the corporate life of the University**

- Participated in Jamia's Annual Talimi Mela part of the Founders Week Celebration by Curating Kaleidoscope a Unique Photo Exhibition featuring the works of Jamia Students from Different Faculties
- Judged photo exhibition put up by the department geography Jamia Millia Islamia

## **2009-2010**

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3. Served as the course coordinator of the One year PG Diploma program in Photography and visual communication, which received applications and an overwhelming response from students.
4. Taught classes for the PG Diploma students as well since no regular additional faculty was appointed \*timetables

## **Fellowships & Honours Received**

1. Team lead by Prof. Khan Won the Sony world photography award beating top. universities from 60 countries in the world including china and Russia. Was invited to Cannes on an all expenses paid trip. Brought glory to the country and to the university by putting India on the global map in photography.
2. Judged and short listed entries from the university. for Sony world photography award
3. Jury: International Broadcast Convention (IBC) Amsterdam, 2009

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Co-ordinate with authors, editors for Design and Development of curriculum and quality material for Journalism & Mass Communication. Advising on setting up of laboratories, workshop, Studios etc.

Brought to jamia 35thousand Euro worth of equipment by winning Sony world photo award

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### **Contribution of Faculty Member to the corporate life of the University**

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3. Course coordinator diploma in still photography course

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## **1. Publication & Production**

- Published on the future of technology on Motion & Still Imagery in Down to Earth Magazine. 'Imaging : the Future', The heart of the motion picture, in Down To Earth April 2010

## **2. Fellowships & Honours Received**

- As Part of the Core committee for Vocationalisation of Media & Entertainment Education in India for Mr. Kapil Sibbal, Hon. Minister MHRD & E4M deliberated on the collaborative opportunities between Industry & Academia & the roadmap for the future.
- Member Expert Committee for UGC for grant of new & innovative projects in Media & Mass Communication, New Delhi, 30 November, 2010
- Jury: International Broadcast Convention (IBC) Amsterdam, 2010
- Jury for the National Photo Competition, National Photo Division, Ministry of Information & Broadcasting, 2011
- Jury: Film Animation & Photography, Antaragini, Annual Competition, Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur, (IIT-K), 2010
- Jury , Photography Competition, Juxtapose, Lady Shri Ram College for Women, 2010
- Jury , Photography Competition, Tarang, for Film & Projekts Lady Shri Ram College for Women, 2010
- Chosen to be the Subject matter (Mass Communication) expert & advisor for setting up the first Science Communication Channel in India by Vigyan Prasar, 2010

## **3. Seminars/Conferences/Workshops organized**

- Organised & conducted two day Workshop at IIT Kanpur on Photography, Composition, Aesthetics, Post Production in the Digital Era, 2010
- Key resource person for a series of workshops on issues, content, format, aesthetics & methodology of science communication for the first weekly news program produced for CSIR broadcast on Lok Sabha TV, Vigyan Prasar, New Delhi 2010-2011
- Organised a 6 days long workshop by the Nazar Foundation for Photography students of AJK MCRC featuring lecture demonstrations & critical appreciation by prominent photographers like Prashant Panjari & Dinesh Khanna, Jamia Millia Islamia, 2011
- Organised Workshop by Renowned International Photographer & Filmmaker Adrian Fisk on Anthropological & Narrative Photography , AJK MCRC, JMI, 2011
- Led a 5 day field trip for exploring genres of travel & documentary photography along with an visual ethnographic field study of the tourist cities of Jaisalmer & villages surrounding it for Photography students, AJK MCRC, JMI, 2011.

## **4. Seminars & Conferences Attended by**

- Attended the International conference on Content creation, Broadcast , management & delivery, at the International Broadcast Convention, Amsterdam, 2010

- International conference on Education by Govt. of Australia , Shangrila, New Delhi

#### **5. Lectures & talks delivered**

- Delivered Annual Open Lecture for Lalit Kala Akademi, part of the Workshop & lecture series by eminent Artistes, Lucknow, 18th February 2011
- Key Resource person for the Refresher Course for the Academic Staff College Refresher Course Attendees, Jamia Millia Islamia On Media & Society 2010
- Resource person for Extension lecture on Communication & Technology for the Academic Staff College, Aligarh Muslim University, 18th December 2010
- Lecture on Aesthetics & Composition at - Academic Meet, March 2011, Lady Shri Ram College for Women

#### **6. Membership of Academic & Professional Bodies**

- Life Member India international photographic council

#### **7. Contribution of Faculty Member to the corporate life of the University**

- Superintendent Examinations BTEC for Faculty of Engineering & Asstt. Superintendent of Various other Examinations
- Coordinator of PG Diploma in Still Photography & Visual Communication

#### **8. Membership of Academic & Professional Bodies**

- Member Board of studies of Mass Communication department Aligarh Muslim University, Central University Kashmir, Srinagar
- Life Member India international photographic council (IIPC), New Delhi

#### **9. Other Contribution**

- As the Member of the Curriculum review Committee at NIFT, New Delhi for their, Diploma in Fashion Communication contributed in reviewing & restructuring the program, to meet with the new challenges in creativity & technology, 6th and 7th January 2011.
- Evaluator Pilot & Test DVD for The first Weekly Science News program for VigyanPrasar , broadcast on Loksabha TV. Oct 19<sup>th</sup>, 2010

## **2011-2012**

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## 2012-2013

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### **Co-curricular/Extra-curricular**

- Organised the Annual Passing out Exhibition Photopia displaying the works of the students of the PG Diploma Programme in Still Photography & Visual Communication, Curated by Prof. Farhat Basir Khan on 11.04.2012.
- The exhibition also included public lectures by four of the country's leading photographers/photo editors including Prashant Panjiar, Trustee, Nazar Foundation & Ex-Photo Editor, Outlook, Bandeep Singh, Photo Editor, Fortune Magazine, Ex Chief Photographer, India Today, Debatosh Sengupta, Director, Photo Division, Aditya Arya, Trustee of India Photo Archive Foundation, Photo archivist & Photo Historian, Eminent Commercial Advertising photographer, Sondeep Shankar, Member-Press Council of India, Consulting Photo Editor- Asian Age, Ex National Picture Editor-Hindustan Times

### **Honours/Award received:**

- 1.(AS,IIPC), Associate of the Council for selfless dedication and services towards the advancement of photographic art, science by India International Photographic council ( IIPC)
2. Team led by me has made it to the finals of the Sony World Photo Student Focus Award chosen from amongst 230 global entries and will be competing for the final award in London to be held in May 2013.

### Research Supervision:

- Ph.D: Supervised the research of Amit Chawla on ... Photography

### Participation in seminars/conferences/workshops

Title of presentation/paper	Topic of Seminar/conference/workshop	Place	Date	Co-authors
Mediating the Media: A case for Media Literacy	UGC-Sponsored National Seminar on Journalism in the Age of New Media	Department of Journalism & Mass Communication, Surendranath College for Women, Kolkata	January 10-11, 2012 (presented in absentia)	- None (Single Author)
Science Superstitions and Scientific Temper	International Conference on 'Science Communication for Scientific Temper'	NASC Complex, PUSA New Delhi	10-12 January, 2012	None (Single Author)

### Programme attended

1. 29th January 2013, with Dr. Vint Cerf, Chief Internet Evangelist, Google, & Member of the National Science Board, USA, and Mr. Nitin Desai, former Special Advisor to UN Secretary General on Internet Governance, followed by a multistakeholder brainstorming session on Internet Governance organised by FICCI, New Delhi
2. National Science Day & The Release of Journal of Scientific Temper by CSIR 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2013 as part of the editorial team.

### Lecture/Talk delivered

1. Key note lecture on the Challenges & opportunities for Higher education in India at the Colloquium at Indian Habited Centre organised by APG Shimla University on 20th Feb'13 attended by head of several Indian universities and Foreign missions.
2. Extension lecture for Distance learning Centre AMU

### Contribution to corporate life of university

1. Asstt. Suprintendant, Engineering Entrance Test, Jamia Millia Islamia
2. Asstt. Suprintendant, PG Diploma in Still Photography & Visual Communication, Jamia Millia Islamia
3. Member, Purchase Committee, AJK MCRC, Jamia Millia Islamia



4. Course Coordinator, PG Diploma in Still Photography & Visual Communication
5. Contributed to the revision of the syllabus of the MA in Mass Communication programme with the current film faculty of the York University.
6. Participated in & contributed to the workshops for the introduction of Practice Based Ph. D at AJK Mass Communication Research Centre in collaboration with the University of Westminster
7. Curated & organised the Annual passing out exhibition of the students of the PG Diploma Programme of Still Photography & Visual communication Photopia 2012 with a public lecture by four of the country's foremost photographers & photo editors.
8. Led the field trip & outdoor workshop of the students of the students of the PG Diploma Programme of Still Photography & Visual communication

#### **Other contribution**

1. Part of the Editorial Board of the - Journal of Scientific Temper (JST) by CSIR-NISCAIR 2012-2013
2. Served on the National Jury of the Photo division, Ministry of Information and broadcasting 2012
3. Served on the National Jury for Education Times, (Times of India), National Photo contest 2012
4. Served as the Jury Member for ISOMES 2012
5. Member evaluation committee for the final evaluation & selection of project proposals VigyanPrasar's Video Serial Based on Mathematics", for Doordarshan and Lok Sabha Television.

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<b>Exploring Bollywood and Mediation of Muslim identities in Hindi Cinema</b>	<b>International Conference titled "Bollywood and Its Other(s),"</b>	Newcastle, New South Wales (Australia)	20-21st February 2014 (presented in absentia)	None (Single Author)

### Seminar/conference/workshop organized

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<b>Workshop on Clinical photography in the dental practice</b>	<b>National Dental Convention</b>	Indira Gandhi PrathisthanGomti Nagar Lucknow	<b>28th of March 2013</b>	<b>Prof.Vipul Srivastava</b>

### Lecture/Talk delivered

1. 1. keynote address: Role and Challenges of clinical photography in dental Research and Training. National Convention approved by for UP State dental Council at Indira Gandhi PrathisthanGomti Nagar Lucknow. Organised by Fadement on 28th of March 2013
2. 2. Extention lecture at Centre for Distance learning, AMU Aligarh on journalism on 20 April 2013

### Membership of academic & professional bodies

3. 1. India International Photographic Council (IIPC)
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### Contribution to corporate life of university

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6. Member, Purchase Committee, AJK MCRC, Jamia Millia Islamia
7. Course Coordinator, PG Diploma in Still Photography & Visual Communication
8. Led the field trip & outdoor workshop of the students of the students of the PG Diploma Programme of Still Photography & Visual communication

### Other contribution

9. Member Editorial Board of the - Journal of Scientific Temper (JST) by CSIR-NISCAIR
10. Served as the Jury Member for ISOMES 2013
11. Was invited to chair the panel by the School of Design, Communication and IT, University of Newcastle's on Bollywood's representation of Indian other(s) i.e. religious and ethnic minorities, and to also put forth my point of view about Bollywood cinema as a "Special Invitee Speaker". In the International Conference titled "Bollywood and Its Other(s)," held at Newcastle, New South Wales (Australia), 20-21st February 2014.( could not Travel)
12. Member of committee ( Jury) to preview and short list the entries received for video competition on 'The need of new drugs for Tuberculosis (TB)' by VigyanPrasar, an autonomous organisation under Department of Science and Technology, New Delhi, on 13.01.2014
13. Member of committee to evaluate video skills of each proposer of four science serials to be produced by VigyanPrasar, an autonomous organisation under Department of Science and Technology, New Delhi on 19th December,20013
14. Member of committee for evaluation of the Profile/CV of the proposers. to dub 14 episodes of science programmes into 10 Indian languages for telecast of science serials through Doordarshan Delhi on 18th September, 2013
15. Evaluated the one hour Film and also its abridged version on New Delhi World Book Fair for National Book Trust,. 07/10/2013
16. Devised creative brief media and media strategy for New Delhi World Book Fair 2014. For a budget of more 1.75 crore -campaign in all media vehicle like TVC,FM,outdoor,print, social media on 01/10/2013
17. Evaluated creative presentation and short listed advertising agencies for the New Delhi World Book Fare 14 by on 29TH OCT 20013

## 2014-2015

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**Honour/Award/Fellowship received:**

- Associate Fellow, IIPC
- Member Editorial Board, Journal of Scientific Research (JSR) for NISCAIR, DST
- Executive Council's Nominee as an expert for the General Selection Committee for the post of Professor/Associate Professor/Assistant Professor in the Department of Mass Communication held on 30th December 2014, AMU, Aligarh.
- Member, expert committee for evaluation and assessment of the proposals submitted by the College teachers for the purpose of availing travel grant assistance to attend International Conferences abroad, University Grants Commission, September, 2014
- Member Expert Group, NCD, TM, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, 2014
- Member Expert committee, DSSSB, 2014
- Member Expert for the SSC, Prasar Bharti.
- Member and Subject expert "Mass Communication", Ministry of Human Resource Development for the award of Israel Government Scholarship 2014.

**Presentation/Invited talk/Chair in National or International Seminar/Conference/Workshops**

- F.B.Khan, *How to make visually appealing science programmes with low budget?*, Challenges & Opportunities in Science Film-Making in India, VigyanPrasar, Department of Science & Technology, Govt. of India, Trivandrum, Thiruvananthapuram, 19 – 20 July 2014
- Key Note Speaker at FAMDENT 2014, Lucknow 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2014
- Attended and presented at the inaugural of the 7th IDSFF Kerala on 18th July 2014
- Led and conducted a workshop on 'Photo Journalism, at the 3rd Global Festival of Journalism 2015 powered by International Chambers of Media & Entertainment Industry (ICMEI), Marwah Studios Complex, Film City, Noida, Feb 13, 2015
- Resource person and expert for the MOOCs Workshop 11-13 September 2014, IIT, Mumbai represented MCRC, Jamia Millia Islamia. Also the lead faculty for the first ever MOOC course to be offered by Jamia Millia Islamia
- F.B. Khan "*Exploring Bollywood and Mediation of Muslim identities in Hindi Cinema*", International Conference titled "Bollywood and Its Other(s)," at Newcastle, New South Wales (Australia), School of Design, Communication and IT, University of Newcastle's 20-21st 2014.
- Curated Kaleidoscope 2014
- Curated Exhibition on mental health 2014 with PHFI
- Conducted a workshop on Introduction to photography at IIIT-Delhi, 12, February 2015

**Research articles/Publications:**

- F.B.Khan, *How to make visually appealing science programmes with low budget?*, Challenges & Opportunities in Science Film-Making in India, VigyanPrasar, Department of Science & Technology, Govt. of India, Trivandrum, Thiruvananthapuram, 19 – 20 July 2014 , pg. 10-11

**Administrative position held at the University level**

- Assistant controller, Exam

**Membership of academic and professional bodies other than Jamia**

- Member, IIPC
- Member Expert Group, AG, NMA for NCD, WHO 2014

**Consultancy assignment**

As “Mass Communication Expert “ contributed to science communication and popularisation of science for NISCAIR, CSIR, Department of Science and technology, Government of India and supervised content and editorial 2014-2015

- As “Mass Communication Expert”, member of the Experts Group on health communication, conducted a review of NCD TM for NCD Project, NIMHANS, the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Delhi, 2014
- As “Health and Mass Communication Expert”, provided consultancy on National Multisectoral Action Plan for WHO on Noncommunicable diseases (NCDs), New Delhi, 2014



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