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Educational/Professional Memberships

Education:

- Yale Law School
Juris Doctor (JD)
June 1994
- Princeton University
Eastern Studies, Magna Cum Laude
June 1990

Membership of Professional Associations:

- JD, 1994 (Yale Law School, USA); AB, 1990 (Princeton University, USA)
- Supreme Court Bar Association (Pakistan), Lahore High Court Bar Association (Pakistan), Bar of the State of New York, Bar of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit
- Member of the panel of arbitrators of the:
 - Dubai International Arbitration Centre;
 - Singapore International Arbitration Centre; and
 - Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre of Arbitration.

Current Position

Senior Partner

Professional Experience

- Country Reporter for Pakistan for The Asia Pacific Arbitration Reporter.
- Engaged in 2010 as a legal expert in relation to independent consultant review of the Medium Term Renewable Energy Policy of Pakistan; reviewed Pakistan's policies and suggested modifications to proposed policies in terms of international best practices.
- Engaged as a legal advisor by local consortium tasked with preparation of a private hydropower development policy for the Government of the Punjab.
- Engaged as a legal expert for ADB TA 7060 (Sustainable Energy Efficiency Development Program) to examine policies relating to renewable and sustainable energy in Pakistan.
- Engaged in 2003 by ADB to review Pakistan's private sector hydropower policies.
- Policy expertise recently recognized by both provincial and federal governments; appointed in 2013 as a member of Pakistan's Board of Investment as well as the Punjab Power Development Board.
- Engaged on numerous public policy assignments in relation to drafting of laws and investments

Detailed Employment Record:

Bhandari, Naqvi & Riaz

From: June 1998

To: PRESENT

Position: Senior Partner in a firm specialising in commercial and constitutional litigation.

- Ranked as one of the leading litigators in Pakistan by Chambers & Partners in 2008 – 2012
- Ranked as one of the leading corporate lawyers in Pakistan by Chambers & Partners in 2009 – 2012
- Ranked as one of the leading litigators in Pakistan by Asia-Pacific Legal 500
- Enrolled in 2009 as an Advocate of the Supreme Court of Pakistan
- Reported judgments include Fecto Belarus Tractors v. Government of Pakistan, PLD 2005 SC 605; In re Reference No. 2 of 2005, PLD 2005 SC 873; Khyber Tractors v. Pakistan, PLD 2005 SC 842; Pakistan Lawyer's Forum v. Federation of Pakistan, PLD 2005 SC 719; Asif Saigol v. NAB, PLD 2003 Lah. 686; Shahida Faisal v. Federation of Pakistan, PLD 2000 Lah. 508; Nisar Elahi v. SECP, 2002 CLD 1375; Mian Nisar Elahi v. LSE, 2007 CLD 376; Reference No. 1 of 2006, 2007 SCMR 817
- Counsel for Government of Pakistan in the Expert Determination by the Neutral Expert regarding the Baglihar Hydroelectric Project
- Legal Advisor to the Pakistan Commissioner for Indus Waters in negotiations with India regarding the Kishenganga Hydroelectric Project.

Aitzaz Ahsan & Associates

From: December 1996

To: June 1998

Position: Associate

- Assisted in many Supreme Court and High Court cases including 1997 dissolution of Parliament case, NTM v. Shalimar TV, and Gadoon Amazai exemptions case. Also appeared as State counsel in criminal matters.

Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson

From: September 1994

To: August 1996

Position: Associate

Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson

From: June 1992

To: August 1992

Position: Summer Intern

- Researched and drafted memos on various issues including consumer protection laws and third-party stays in bankruptcy proceedings.

American Civil Liberties Union

From: June 1992

To: August 1992

Position: Summer Intern

- Researched and wrote chapter on due process and security clearances for National Security and Civil Liberties, (Stanford Univ. Press, 1994).

The Friday Times

From: August 1990

To: August 1991

Position: Managing Editor

From: June 1989
To: August 1989
Position: Reporter and feature writer

- Rose from Deputy Editor to Managing Editor. Wrote weekly movie review and satirical columns as well as occasional editorials.

The Nation

From: June 1988
To: August 1988
Position: Reporter

From: June 1987
To: August 1988
Position: Summer Intern

Consultancy Work:

Member

- Appointed on 7 January 2013 as a member of Pakistan's Board of Investment by the Federal Government
- Appointed in February 2013 as a member of the Punjab Power Development Board

Legal Expert (2010)

- Engaged as a legal expert in relation to independent consultant review of the Medium Term Renewable Energy Policy of Pakistan
- Engaged as a legal expert in relation to independent consultant review of the Medium Term Renewable Energy Policy of Pakistan

Legal Expert (2005-2010)

- Engaged by the Ministry of Water and Power to advise in relation to the dispute with India regarding the Kishenganga Hydroelectric Power Plant.

Legal Expert (2009)

- Engaged as a legal expert by the International Fund for Agricultural Development to review development scheme proposed by Government of Punjab

Legal Expert (2008-2010)

- Engaged as a legal expert for Gender Justice through Masalihat Anjuman Project being funded by UNDP
- Engaged as a legal expert for ADB TA 7060 (Sustainable Energy Efficiency Development Program) to examine policies relating to renewable and sustainable energy in Pakistan

Consultant on Legal and Regulatory Reform (2008)

- Engaged as a specialist consultant by the World Bank to prepare a country report with respect to the corporate insolvency regime in Pakistan

Consultant on Regulatory Reform (2007)

- Engaged as a specialist consultant for a USAID project charged with conducting an assessment of the business environment of Pakistan and with identifying areas for regulatory reform

Legal Advisor (2005-2007)

- Acted as a legal advisor to the Government of Pakistan in connection with proceedings before the Neutral Expert appointed under the Indus Waters Treaty, 1960 with respect to the dispute regarding the Baglihar Hydropower Project.

Legal Advisor (2005-06)

- Engaged as a legal advisor by local consortium tasked with preparation of a private hydropower development policy for the Government of the Punjab

Legal Expert (Sept. – Nov. 2004)

- Member of panel of experts charged by Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan with task of examining legal framework of Pakistan and suggesting improvements from a business and investment perspective.

Review of Corporate Insolvency Laws and drafting of new Financial Rehabilitation Act (2002 till 2005)

- Engaged as a specialist consultant by the State Bank of Pakistan to assist the Banking Law Review Committee in reviewing existing financial insolvency and rehabilitation procedures in Pakistan
- Served as primary draftsman and consultant in preparing proposed Financial Rehabilitation Act which involved examination of regional and international best practices with respect to corporate insolvency regulations

Report on Judicial Independence in Pakistan (2001-2003)

- Consultant for Pakistan on ADB RETA 55987
- Prepared and drafted detailed 130 page report on state of judicial independence in Pakistan
- Report included examination of budgetary and other constraints affecting judicial independence and also compared the Pakistani judiciary to other judicial systems in Asia
- Presented summary of report and policy recommendations at an ADB symposium on judicial independence in Manila which was attended by Chief Justice of Pakistan

Draft Contempt of Court Ordinance, 2002 (2003)

- Engaged by the Asia Foundation to draft a contempt of court ordinance as part of the ADB funded Access to Justice Program

Water Resources Sector Study (2003)

- Served as legal specialist for ADB TA 3130-PAK
- drafted report on private sector involvement in the hydropower sector which examined existing and previous private hydropower policies and presented recommendations for regulatory and policy reform

Legal Advisor to the Finance Department, Government of the Punjab (1999-2000)

- advised the Finance Department of the Government of the Punjab on draft legislation designed to eliminate the problem of benami ownership of land

Legal Advisor to the Government of the Punjab (1998-99)

- advised the Advocate General, Punjab and prepared draft laws relating to corporate insolvency

Lahore Urban Transportation Project

- advised the Government of the Punjab with respect to the Lahore Urban Transportation Project and with respect to legal changes necessary to accommodate proposed new regulatory body

Other Experience

- Guest Lecturer on Corporate Insolvency at LUMS course on Advanced Business Law (May 16, 2001)
- Guest Lecturer at two day seminar on “Institutional Capacity Building Performance for Securities Exchange Commission of Pakistan” (Lahore, March, 2001)
- Guest Lecturer at Seminar on the Legal and Taxation Problems of SMEs (Small & Medium Enterprises) at LUMS. (November, 1999)
- Guest Lecturer for Programme on Law for Business Executives at LUMS. (March, 2002)
- Lecturer on Jurisprudence, Civil Services Academy (DMG Campus)(2006 - 2009)

- Lecturer on Jurisprudence, University College, Lahore (1997 till 2005)
- Lecturer on Constitutional Law, Pakistan College of Law, Lahore (1998-99)
- Correspondent on legal issues (Herald Magazine)(1998-2001)
- Columnist on legal and social issues (Daily Times, Dawn, The Friday Times, Express Tribune)(2007 onwards)
- Member of the Adjunct Faculty, School of Law and Policy, Lahore University of Management Sciences (2009)
- Represented Government of Pakistan as a delegate to Working Group II (Arbitration) of UNCITRAL to session held at New York in February 2009
- Represented the Pakistan Business Council as a delegate to Working Group II (Arbitration) of UNCITRAL (October 2011 and October 2012)
- Former board member, Punjab Board of Investment & Trade

Arbitration Experience

- Member of the panel of arbitrators of:
 - the Dubai International Arbitration Centre;
 - the Singapore International Arbitration Centre; and,
 - the Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre of Arbitration.
- Counsel of record for British Petroleum in ICC Case No. 13664/MS/JB/JEM/MLK (arbitration under ICC Rules)
- Counsel of record for ARY Communications Ltd. in case No. UNC 103/VRO (arbitration under UNCITRAL Rules)
- Appointed as amicus curiae by the Lahore High Court in Rana Khadim Hussain v. Shahnaz Bano, C.P. 1277/07 (case dealing with arbitration issues)
- Engaged as a legal expert in 2010 by the Competitiveness Support Fund to prepare a model domestic arbitration law for adoption by provincial legislatures
- Engaged as legal expert in 2009 by the Competitiveness Support Fund to assist the Ministry of Law in reviewing and revising the Arbitration Bill, 2009
- Appointed in several cases as a sole arbitrator under Dubai International Arbitration Centre rules

Publications

- Princeton University Senior Thesis: “Lions Beneath the Throne: The Judiciary and Politics in Zia’s Pakistan, 1977-88” thesis examined the causes for the rise of Islamic fundamentalism in Pakistan within the context of the performance of Pakistan’s judiciary since 1947, and specifically within the period of General Zia’s rule
- ACLU Handbook on National Security and Civil Liberties
 - worked as a research associate and writer
 - Summer 1992 (ten weeks, working full-time)
 - drafted chapter on the issue of security clearances from the perspective of civil liberties concerns for an ACLU publication
 - researched all relevant caselaw, both US and foreign; reviewed security clearance procedures and regulations; researched publications regarding civil liberties concerns with respect to the issue of security clearances
- Presented paper on recent development at Forum on Asian Insolvency Reform (FAIR II) held at Bangkok (December 2002)
- Researched and wrote chapter on due process and security clearances for National Security

and Civil Liberties, (Stanford Univ. Press, 1994).

- Peoples Rights or Victims Rights? Re-examining the Conceptualisation of Indigenous Rights in International Law, Indiana Law Review (Spring 96)
 - full length article of 30,000 words examining the issue of the rights of indigenous peoples in international law within the particular context of the Kalash Kafirs of Northern Pakistan
- Presented paper on legal and regulatory developments related to corporate insolvency at Forum of Asian Insolvency Reform (FAIR III) held at Seoul (November 2003)
- Presented paper on Pakistan's accession to the Energy Charter Treaty at conference on "Investment Protection Techniques for Upstream Oil & Gas Ventures" held at London (June 2008)
- Co-author of chapter on Pakistan in Asia Arbitration Handbook (Oxford 2011)
- Co-author of chapter in on Pakistan in Opposing Perspectives on the Drone Debate (Macmillan 2014)

Languages

Language	Speaking	Reading	Writing
English	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Urdu	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Punjabi	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
French	Minimal	Minimal	Minimal
Persian	Minimal	Minimal	Minimal