Dr. GHULAM MOHEY-UD-DIN

PhD Economics | 12+ Years' Experience | 15 Publications

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SUMMARY OF PROFILE

- ❖ An experienced lead economist having 12+ years' experience in economics, industry, urban and social development, research, public policy and project management. Holds proven track record being part of billion-dollar projects and contributing in successfully achieving the project goals by employing team leading, advanced research skills
- ❖ Performance-driven person; have ability to work under pressure against tight deadlines, completes operations within stipulated budget and time-frame, ensures maximum resource utilization & retains organization in positive financial position
- Ph.D. Economics and project management diploma holder; recognized for being part of couple of industrial censuses, data collection, leading teams handling socio-economic research, economic & spatial/ regional planning and formulating policies. Eminently maintains liaison with civic and private organizations, builds and leads senior economic and research teams
- * HEC Approved PhD Supervisor for Social Sciences

MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- + PhD Economics, GC University Lahore & Gold Medallist in Masters (Islamia University, Bahawalpur).
- + Almost 7 Years' research experience of working as professional Economist and Research Analyst in public and private sector and 5+ years' experience of teaching and research in academia.
- + Currently working as **Team Lead** (**Social Development & Urban Economics**) in Urban Unit, Lahore on PSS Project (a crucial component of World Bank's J&C P4R Project) and leading a team of 10+ Economists.
- + Recently completed GIZ funded project 'Application of Core Diagnostic Assessment of Social Protection Programs in Punjab' as "Lead Researcher" on time and within stipulated budget.
- + **Headed** and supervised the **Research Cell** of Punjab Small Industries Corporation (PSIC) as an Economist (BS-18), completed 'Census of Small & Cottage Industries in Punjab (2011-13)' and prepared one provincial (consolidated) and 36 district census reports.
- + Prepared 1st Draft of Monitoring Mechanism for **M&E** of PSIC ADP schemes/projects.
- + Designed, conducted and completed the "Impact Evaluation of Trainings under Public Sector Capacity Building Project (EAD Component)".
- + Worked as a member of the **Research Team** for drafting the first "Foreign Aid Policy of Pakistan".
- + Published one book (by international publisher), 10 peer-reviewed articles, whereas, one paper has been published in an edited book (published by Pakistan Institute of Bankers (IBP) Karachi).

EXPERIENCES

URBAN ECONOMIST | SPECIALIST (ECONOMICS) THE URBAN UNIT, Lahore • 15th Sep 2016 to Date

➤ Working as a **Team Lead (Social & Urban Economics)** on Punjab Spatial Strategy (PSS), a crucial component of **World Bank**'s Jobs & Competitiveness (J&C) Program for Results (P4R), and leading a team of 10+ Economists.

Job Profile:

+ Effectively plan, design, and conduct economic analyses that advance the objectives of project teams working on issues across varying urban sectors.

- + Conduct economic change related analysis and provide **expertise in the inter-linkages** of spatial, environmental and economic visions and the economic impact of development and urban infrastructure projects.
- + Team and project management, monitoring the time line and submission of project deliverables.
- + Critically analyze and assess economic research and arguments presented by project partners, stakeholders, and others.
- + Actively **engage** public and private sector decision-makers in one-on-one meetings, group briefings, and other venues to persuade them of analytically based recommendations.

SENIOR ASSISTANT PROFESSOR Lahore

BAHRIA UNIVERSITY LAHORE CAMPUS
• 28th Sep 2015 to 7th Sep 2016

Key Duties Performed:

- + Taught various courses on **Economics**, **Research Methodology** etc. to post the graduate classes.
- + Acting **Head of Management Sciences Department** (March May 2016)
- + Supervised the post-graduate (MS/MPhil) thesis / dissertations (Total 12 thesis).
- + Post-Graduate Program Coordinator, Management Sciences Department.
- + Coordinator Faculty Training Program, Management Sciences Department.
- + Cluster Head (Quantitative Courses) Spring 2016 Semester
- + Writing research proposals for funding (Submitted 3 Research Proposals).
- + Active member of Research Group: "Management & Development" (headed one research team).
- + Secretary, Departmental Board of Studies | Secretary, Departmental Research Committee.

URBAN ECONOMIST

Lahore

MEINHART PAKISTAN (PVT) LTD • 8th May, 2014 to 30th June, 2015

Job Profile:

- + Processing and analyzing the **socio-economic** data to depict the current socio-economic scenario for Pakistan and Punjab and project / forecast future scenarios for the **Urban Economy**.
- + Review of demographic indicators and forecasts of population dynamics and urbanization trends of the Punjab and Lahore.
- + Based on the socio-economic data collected, to do a **quantitative analysis** in order to individuate the more dynamic economic sectors and subsectors in Pakistan and particularly in Punjab region and Lahore.
- + Collection of specific **socio-economic data** on economic sectors (agriculture, textile, sportswear, shoe wear, medical, etc.), and Global Value Chain (GVC) and identifying the possible economic drivers/components of new city (Ravi Riverfront).
- + Continuous support to the **Urban Planning** team and other teams of project through providing economic and demographic data.
- + Forecasting different **scenarios** / **projection** based on real time analysis of economic data of Lahore city especially the surroundings of project area.

ECONOMIST (BS-18)

PUNJAB SMALL INDUSTRIES CORPOARTION (PSIC)

• 18th June 2012 to 7th May, 2014

Lahore

Key Duties Performed:

- + Being **Head of R&D Cell**, led and supervised the team of Research & Development Cell under the Directorate of Planning, Evaluation and New Initiatives (PEN) in PSIC Head Office.
- + Conducted research and analysis of the data of **Census** of Small and Cottage Industries in Punjab conducted by PSIC and prepared/ published the one provincial (consolidated) and 36 district census reports.

- + Did research for preparing concept / working papers (followed by preparation of PC-Is) of development projects (ADP schemes) of PSIC. Also did project planning (preparation & revision of PC-I) and prepared PC-IV.
- + Performed monitoring & evaluation (**M&E**) of on-going ADP schemes / development projects of PSIC and preparing working papers for monthly/quarterly ADP review meetings.
- + Performed economic analysis of projects to assess feasibility and determining the implications of their findings and make recommendations of ways to improve efficiency.
- + Written various technical and non-technical reports on economic trends and forecasts.

RESEARCH ANALYST Ministry of Economic Affairs & Statistics, Govt. of Pakistan, Islamabad • 1st April, 2009 – 30th November, 2009

Key Duties Performed:

- + Analyzed economic reports by the multi-laterals / bi-lateral donor agencies.
- + Performed monitoring and evaluation of World Bank's projects / programs.
- + Prepared analysis / working paper for quarterly portfolio review meetings of World Bank's projects / programs.
- + Prepared working papers for informed decision making.
- + Did research on effectiveness of foreign aid in Pakistan.

LECTURER (**ECONOMICS**) ECONOMISTS' INN: COLLEGE OF ECONOMICS AND COMMERCE, Haroonabad Distt: Bahawalnagar • 1st January, 2006 – 30th March, 2009

Key Duties Performed:

- + Teaching the papers of:
 - o **Development** Economics (MA Economics Level)
 - o Macroeconomic Theory (MA Economics Level)
 - o Economy of **Pakistan** (B. Com Level)
 - o Principles of Economics (B. Com Level)
- + Managing the Department of Economics
- + Worked on Independent research studies

CUSTOMER SERVICES OFFICER

KHUSHHALI BANK LTD.

18th August, 2003 – 30th June, 2004

Bahawalnagar

Key Duties Performed:

- + Frontline microfinance sales and service function
- + Outbound sales/business acquisition operations
- + Sales team management
- + Prepare and monitor case loadings
- + Documentation and policy compliances
- + Cash-flow based credit appraisal
- + Ensuring high-quality social collateral formation
- + Front-end delinquency and collection management

LECTURER (ECONOMICS)

Haroonabad

AFAQ COLLEGE OF COMMERCE
• 1st March, 2002 – 31 July, 2003

Key Duties Performed:

- + Teaching the papers of:
 - o Economy of Pakistan (B. Com Level)
 - o Principles of Economics (B. Com Level)

EDUCATION

August 2015 GOVERNMENT COLLEGE (GC) UNIVERSITY

Lahore

PhD. Economics

- Thesis: "GDP Fluctuations and Its Impact on Private Investment and Economic Growth: A Study of Selected South Asian Countries"
- **Three** research papers have been published for in **HEC recognized** Journals (one in '*X-Category*' and two in '*Y-Category*' Journals).

October 2008 GOVERNMENT COLLEGE (GC) UNIVERSITY

Lahore

M. Phil, Economics

- **Thesis**: "The Macroeconomic Analysis of Foreign Capital Inflows in Pakistan: A Re-Examination Using Vector Error Correction Approach" (published as Book)
- One research paper published during M. Phil in HEC recognized (Z-Category) Journal

January 2002 ISLAMIA UNIVERSITY

Bahawalpur

Masters of Arts in Economics

• Distinction: *Gold Medalist* (Overall first position in the university)

October 2014 PAKISTAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT (PIM)

Lahore

Diploma in Project Management

Four Weeks Internet Course

- Followed PMBOK© published by PMI® [used for PMP © Certification]
- Also preparing for PMP ® Certification

AWARDS & MEDALS

- 1. Gold Medalist in MA Economics (Overall 1st Position in Islamia University, Bahawalpur)
- 2. Won the **Consolation prize** in IBP Research Paper Competition (Winter 2006), awarded by the Institute of Bankers Pakistan (IBP), Karachi
- 3. Indigenous PhD Fellowship by the Higher Education Commission (HEC) of Pakistan

SHORT COURSES

Nov 2005

	John Hopkins University	Baltimore, USA (Online)
2014-2016	Data Science and Data AnalyticsSeries of short courses on 'Data Science Specialization'	
	World Bank Institute (WBI), World Bank	Washington DC, USA (Online)
June 2008	 One Week Internet Course Trade Facilitation for Export Diversification in Small or Medium South Asian Countries 	
June 2008	Five Weeks Internet CourseComprehensive Approach to Export Development and Diversification	
March 2008	 One Week Internet Course Export Development and Diversification: Export Promotion and Market Analysis Tools 	
March 2008	Seven Weeks Internet CourseTrade, Growth and Poverty: E-Learning Course	
Dec 2007	 Two Weeks Internet Course Export Development and Diversification: Basic Evidence 	Concepts, Theory and Empirical

Gender, Economic Development and Poverty Reduction

July 2005 Four Weeks Internet Course

Macroeconomic Management in Oil Exporting Countries

Aug 2004 Pakistan Institute of Development Economics (PIDE)

Islamabad

Two Months, summer "Refresher Courses in Economics"

• Courses: Development Finance, Microeconomic Theory, Macroeconomic Theory, Mathematics for Economists, Econometrics & Statistics

Dec 2001 Nice Institute of Computer Education (NICE)

Haroonabad

Three Months, "Certificate in Windows (Computer) Applications"

• Courses: Electronic Data Processing, MS DOS, MS Windows, MS Words, MS Excel, Fox Pro.

TRAININGS & WORKSHOPS

Sep 2013 Centre for Training and Development, Institute of Research Promotions

Lahore

Two Day workshop, "Managing Qualitative Research Using NVivo Software"

• Training was focused on: Advanced Qualitative Analysis and Hand on Practice of Nvivo software and was held at University of Lahore (UOL), Lahore.

Nov 2013 IRP Institute of Research Sciences, Institute of Research Promotions (IRP)

Lahore

Two Day workshop, "Literature Review – Made easy"

- Training was focused on: Citation & writing literature Review of literature using EndNote & Nvivo Software.
- Training was jointly arranged by the IRP Institute of Research Sciences and National Library of Pakistan at National Library of Pakistan, Islamabad.

Sep 2013 Centre for Training and Development, Institute of Research Promotions

Lahore

Two Day workshop, "Advanced Quantitative Analysis through SPSS & AMOS"

 Training was focused on: Advanced Qualitative Analysis and Hand on Practice of SPSS & AMOS softwares and was held at University of Management Sciences (UMT), Lahore.

Aug 2003 Human Development Institute (HDI), Khushhali Bank Ltd,

Islamabad

Two weeks Residential Training workshop

• Training was focused on: Microfinance, Customer Services & Sales, and Social Mobilization held at NIBAF (National Institute of Banking and Finance), Islamabad.

Aug 2003 Khushhali Bank Ltd. (Branch)

Bahawalnagar

Six Months on the Job Training (Customer Services and Micro-Financing)

• The first six months of the job as "Customer Services Officer" were as "on-the-job training"

PUBLICATIONS

Publications | Books

1. 2011. The Macroeconomic Analysis of Foreign Capital Inflows in Pakistan: A Re-examination using Vector Error-Correction Approach, Munich: GRIN Verlag GmbH (GRIN Publishers Ltd), pages: 168. ISBN: 978-3-640-88045-4 [Based on M. Phil Thesis]

Publications | Journal Articles

- 1. 2018. "Health, Education and Economic Growth Nexus in Middle Income Countries", (with Abubakar & Kiani). 'Global Social Science Review, 3(4): 43-61. [HEC recognized 'X Category' Journal]
- 2. 2018. "Infrastructure Development in Punjab, Pakistan: From Assessment to **Spatiotemporal Analysis** at District Level", (with Iqra Paras and Faisal Fareed). "Journal of Quantitative Methods", 2(2): 75-103.

- 3. 2018. "Assessment of **Urban Services Deprivation** in Punjab, Pakistan: A District Level Spatial Comparative Analysis". 'Pakistan Journal of Urban Affairs', 7(1): 3-20.
- 4. 2017. "Exploring the **Spatial Trends in Wealth Inequalities** in Punjab, Pakistan". "Pakistan Journal of Urban Affairs", 6(1):46-57.
- 5. 2017. "GDP Fluctuation and Long-run Economic Growth: A Study of Selected South Asian Countries", (with Muhammad Wasif Siddiqi). "Pakistan Journal of Applied Economics", 27(1): 41-66. [HEC recognized 'Y category' Journal]
- 6. 2017. **Aid and Development** (July 18, 2017). "Development Advocate Pakistan". 4(1): 21-24. Islamabad: UNDP, Pakistan. Available at SSRN: https://ssrn.com/abstract=3005075
- 7. 2016. "Determinants of GDP Fluctuation in Selected South Asian Countries", (with Muhammad Wasif Siddiqi). *Pakistan Development Review*, 55(4): 483–497. [HEC recognized 'X Category' Journal]
- 8. 2014. "GDP Fluctuation and **Private Investment**: A Macro Panel Analysis of Selected South Asian Countries", (with Muhammad Wasif Siddiqi). *Pakistan Journal of Commerce & Social Science* 8(2): 485-501. [HEC recognized '**Y Category**' Journal]
- 9. 2007. Impact of Foreign Capital Inflows (FCI) on Economic Growth in Pakistan [1975-2004]. *Journal of Independent Studies and Research (JISR)*, 5(1): 24-29. [**HEC** recognized 'Z Category' Journal]
- 10. 2018. "Social Progress in Punjab, Pakistan: Measurement, Spatial Representation and Relative Bench-marking Analysis at District level", (with Rahema Hassan and Faisal Fareed *et al*). *Urban Unit Analysis Paper Series*, pp:50. Lahore: The Urban Unit.

Publications | Article in Book

11. 2007. Low-Cost Housing Solutions, In IBP (Ed), *Low Cost Housing Solutions*, Karachi: The Institute of Bankers Pakistan (IBP), pp. 29-34. [IBP awarded "Consolation Prize" to this paper in Banking Research Paper Competition (Winter 2006)]

Conference Paper | International

12. 2017. "Assessment of **Human Capital** at sub-regional level and role of public sector expenditures on its accumulation and spatial variations: A district level case study of Punjab, Pakistan" (with Smaeeh Ullah *et al*). A Research paper was presented *in 'ADBI-AGI Joint Workshop: Public and Private Investment in Human Capital Intergenerational Transfers in Asia' at Kitakyushu City, Japan held on 14-15 November 2017.*

WORKING PAPERS | RSEARCH WORK (IN PROGRESS)

Working Papers | The Urban Unit

- 1. 2017. "The State of Agriculture Development in Punjab (2014-15): A District Level Spatial Pattern Analysis" (with Azeem Sardar & Sanam Zia).
- 2. 2017. "Internal In-Migration to Urban Areas of Punjab: A District Level Study" (with Mutee-Ul-Rehman and Husnain Ijaz)

Research Report | During Job in EAD

3. 2009. "Impact Evaluation of Trainings under Public Sector Capacity Building Project" A Research Report prepared under World Bank's Public-Sector Capacity Building Project (PSCBP), Islamabad: Economic Affairs Division (EAD), Government of Pakistan.

Working Paper | World Bank Institute (WBI) Course

4. 2005. "Background, Assessment and Analysis of Gender Issues in Pakistan", *MPRA Paper No.* 689, Online at http://mpra.ub.uni-muenchen.de/689.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS & JOURNAL REVIEWRSHIP

2005 - Present Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI)

Islamabad

Member

2009 - Present Pakistan Society of Development Economists (PSDE), PIDE

Islamabad

Member

2012 - Present Academic Research International (Journal)

Islamabad

Advisor (Member Advisory Review Board) since 2012

2014 - Present **Journal of Finance and Economics**

USA

Member Editorial Board

2015 - Present 5 Local Journals (HEC Recognized)

Pakistan

Member Editorial Board

SKILLS & COMPETENCIES

- Teaching Economics
- In-depth Economic Analysis
- Monitoring & Evaluation
- Report Writing & Reviews
- Eviews & SPSS (Advanced level)
- Using Econometric Software
- Applied Econometrics Skill
- Team Work & Coordination
- Computer / IT Skills
- Stata & Microfit (Intermediate level)
- Expertise in Research
- Project Management
- Time / Workload Management
- Language: English, Urdu & Punjabi
- R & N-Vivo (Beginners level)

PROJECTS

- ❖ ISPA Core Diagnostic Assessment (CODI) of Social Protection Programs in Punjab. Client: GIZ (German Agency). [Role: Lead Researcher]
- ❖ Punjab Spatial Strategy 2017-2047. Client: Government of Punjab (World Bank funded project, component of Job & Competitiveness (J&C) Program for Results (P4R) by The World Bank Group) [Role: Urban Economist | Sector Head (Social & Agri. Economics)]
- * Ravi Riverfront Urban Development Project. Client: Government of Punjab. [Role: Urban Economist]
- Census of Small and Cottage Industries in Punjab 2012-14. Client: Government of Punjab. [Role: Economist | Head Research Cell]
- Public Sector Capacity Building Project. Client: Government of Pakistan (World Bank funded Project).
 [Role: Research Analyst]

REFERENCES

• Dr. Salman Shah, Contact: +92 (300) 500 8169 Ex-Finance Minister of Pakistan | Consultant, The Urban Unit, Lahore.

• Dr. Ernesto Marzano, Contact: +39(348) 445 0226 Transport & Resource Economist, Italy

• Commodore (Rtd.) M. Amjad Zaman, SI(M) Contact: +92 (300) 584 5731 Director (Campus), Bahria University Lahore Campus, Johar Town, Lahore.

• Dr. Kaiser Bengali, Contact: +93 (300) 820 3043 Senior Economist from Karachi | Ex-Advisor to Sindh and Balochistan Governments