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EDUCATION

December 2014	UGC- National Eligibility Test (NET)
May-June 2016	Film Appreciation Course Film & Television Institute of India, Pune
2005 - 2007	Master in Journalism and Mass Communication Aligarh Muslim University
2002 - 2005	Bachelor of Science Aligarh Muslim University

WORK EXPERIENCE

June 2107 – Present	Assistant Professor Department of Mass Communication & Journalism Maulana Azad National Urdu University
Oct 2007 – June 2017	Technical Assistant (Camera & Editing) Department of Mass Communication, Aligarh Muslim University

Job Responsibilities:

Studio in charge and supervising studio productions and other technical aspects including switcher control, sound management, floor management, online editing, camera handling, etc.

Video Editor

Supervising MA students of the department during their practical sessions.
Production controller and editor of all the productions of the Department of Mass Communication, AMU.

EXPERIANCE OF HANDLING SOFTWARES

Final Cut Pro, Autodesk Maya, Adobe Photoshop, Quark Express & MS Office, Adobe After Effects, Sony Vegas, Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe Audition, Offline and Online Editing, Camera Handling, Multi Camera Shoots.

PROMINENT WORKS

- Production Controller and Editor of AMU Vice Chancellor Video Presentation before NAAC Peer Team.
- Production Controller and Editor of Video for Visitor Award for the University.
- Director, Production Controller and Editor of a Short film for Diabetes Awareness.
- Production Controller and Editor of AMU Tarana Video.
- Production Controller and Editor of AMU Annual Convocations since 2007.

- Production Controller and Editor of more than 60 Conferences/ Seminars/ Symposiums/ Inaugurations held at AMU.
- Production Controller of Annual Production Training of Students of Department of Mass Communication since 2008.
- Detailed Work attached as **ANNEXURE - I**

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

International Federation for Theatre Research

BOOK PUBLISHED

Real vs Reel: Distortion of Historical Facts in Hindi Cinema. V.L.Media Solutions, New Delhi. **ISBN: 978-93-85068-81-2**

PAPERS PUBLISHED

- Adaptation of Shakespearean Plays in Hindi Movies: A Case Study of Vishal Bharadwaj's Omkara published by Indian Journal of Communication Review. **ISSN: 2454-9339**
- Portrayal of Empowered Women in Movies around the Major World Cinemas published in Social Sciences: International Research Journal. **ISSN: 2395-0554**

PAPERS CURRENTLY WORKING

- How Emerging Technology & Video Content Development Shaping TV contents: The Opportunities and Challenges

EXTRA CARRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Secretary of University Drama Club during the session 2006-07
- Recipient of many awards in Theatre at National and Zonal Level.
- Recipient of many awards in short film category at National and Local Level.
- Acted and Directed many plays at National Inter University Youth Festival, North Zone Inter University Youth Festival and at Aligarh Muslim University.
- Acted in Play "*Bhanvar*" and "*Ek Koshish*" staged at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.
- Details attached as **ANNEXURE – II & III**

Nationality	Indian
Date of birth	12.12.1981
Marital Status	Married

Date:

(Meraj Ahmad)

ANNEXURE - I

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Directed and edited a Short Film on Safe-Guarding Water Resources in India with Green and Sustainable Technologies (SWINGS) for Department of Civil Engineering.
- Production Controller & Editor of Video Presentation by the Vice Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University before NAAC Peer Team.
- Production Controller & Editor of a Documentary on Aligarh Muslim University “Mapping New Terrain”.
- Directed & edited a short movie on Diabetes Awareness for Diabetic Education & Awareness
- Edited promotional documentary for Ahmadi School for Visually Challenged.
- Edited documentary on Aligarh Muslim University that broadcasted on Doordarshan National Channel for two consecutive years (2013-14).
- Production Controller & Editor of Gandhi Jayanti Celebrations 2014, Aligarh Muslim University.
- Edited University Tarana, Aligarh Muslim University.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of a programme on “Constitution as an Instrument of Change” organized by Dr. Ambedkar Chair of Legal Studies & Research, Aligarh Muslim University. Chief Guest was Mr. Salman Khursheed, Ex-Honorable Minister of Water Resources & Minority Affairs, Govt. of India.
- Production Controller of Full Coverage of Aligarh Muslim University Students’ Union Elections 2013-14.
- Production Controller & Editor of the Book Releasing Ceremony of “Colors of my Rainbow”. Chief Guest was Smt. Salma Ansari.
- Production Controller & Editor of Centennial Celebration on Faiz Ahmad Faiz (2011).
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of National Seminar on Minority Rights in India-Vision & Reality organized by Dept. of Political Science, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Personality Development Workshop organized by Aligarh Muslim University in association with MESCO, Hyderabad.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Orientation & Sensitization Workshop on Science Writing-Journalism jointly organized by Dept. of Mass Communication,

Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh & NCSTC, DST, Ministry of Science & Technology, New Delhi (2011), held at Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Pashu Chikitsa Vigyan Vishwavidhyalaya Evam Go-Anusandhan Sansthan, Mathura, UP.

- Production Controller & Editor of Orientation & Sensitization Workshop on Science Writing-Journalism jointly organized by Dept. of Mass Communication, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh & NCSTC, DST, Ministry of Science & Technology, New Delhi (2011), held at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of the inauguration of Urdu Academy, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of a play by Tom Alter on Maulana Azad held at Kennedy Auditorium, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of All-India Mushaira on the occasion of Independence Day Celebration, organized by Dept. of Urdu, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller & Editor of the Annual Convocation, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. The Chief Guest was then President Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam.
- Production Controller & Editor of the Annual Convocation, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. The Chief Guest was Shri Pranab Mukherjee the then Defense Minister.
- Production Controller & Editor of Annual Convocation, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh attended by A. R. Rahman.
- Edited & Directed documentary on Aligarh Muslim University for Annual Visitors Awards 2015.
- Production Controller & Editor of “Hackathon” (2013), held at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh and organized by the Planning Commission, Govt. of India.
- Production Controller & Editor of 37th Social Science Congress held at Kennedy Auditorium, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director & Editor of a documentary on Department of Mass Communication named “A Profile”.
- Production Controller, Director & Editor of the 1st World Alumni Summit of Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh
- Editor of Land Transfer Ceremony of Aligarh Muslim University Kishanganj Centre.
- Editor of Land Transfer Ceremony of Aligarh Muslim University Murshidabad Centre.
- Editor of Land Transfer Ceremony of Aligarh Muslim University Mallapuram Centre.

- Editor of Inauguration of Aligarh Muslim University Mallapuram Centre. The Chief Guest was Kapil Sibal, ex-MHRD Minister.
- Editor of Inauguration of Aligarh Muslim University Murshidabad Centre. The Chief Guest was Shri Pranab Mukherjee, the then Finance Minister.
- Production Manager, Switcher Controller & Online Editor of Studio Discussion with Mr. Danish A. Ghafoor, Event Manager-DENSU.
- Production Manager, Switcher Controller & Online Editor of Studio Discussion with Prof. P. K. Abdul Azis, Ex Vice-Chancellor, AMU.
- Production Manager, Switcher Controller & Online Editor of Studio Discussion with Lt. Gen. (Retd.) Zameeruddin Shah, Vice-Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Manager, Switcher Controller & Online Editor of Studio Discussion with Brig. (Retd.) Syed Ahmad Ali, Pro Vice-Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Manager, Switcher Controller & Online Editor of Studio Discussion with Michael Franklin & Caroline Franklin, Swansea University, United Kingdom.
- Production Manager, Switcher Controller & Online Editor of Studio Discussion with Ted Osius, Minister Counsellor for political affairs, US Embassy, New Delhi.
- Production Manager, Switcher Controller & Online Editor of Studio Discussion with Mr. Danish A. Ghafoor, Event Manager-DENSU.
- Production Controller of “North-Zone Vice-Chancellors Meet” held at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller & Editor of K. A. Abbas Centenary Celebration Held at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh in collaboration with Khwaja Ahmad Abbas Centenary Celebration Committee (KAACCC)The Chief Guest was Honorable Aziz Qureshi, Governor of Uttarakhand.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography, Editor & Director of the Seminar on “Media & Society” organized by Dept. of Mass Communication, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller & Editor of a Seminar on “Relation of Qur’an with Hadith” by Prof. Salman Nadvi, Durban, South Africa. Organized by Prof. K. A. Nizami Centre for Quranic Studies, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller & Editor of Sir Syed Memorial lecture. The Chief Guest was Mr. Wajahat Habibullah, Ex-Chairman, National Commission for Minorities. Organised by Sir Syed Academy, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.

- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Premchand Play's that were enacted at Kennedy Auditorium, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of a Seminar on "Shahryar-Hayat-o-Khidmaat" organized by Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi in association with Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller & Editor of "Need for a Look-West Policy" under the aegis of Distinguished lecture series of Ministry of External Affairs, Govt. of India by Mr. Ishrat Aziz, Former Ambassador (Saudi Arabia, Tunisia, Brazil & UAE) at ZHCET, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller & Editor of Earth Day Celebrations 2015 organized by Dept. of Fine Arts, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Aligarh Muslim University Students' Union Final Speech 2012.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Rahul Gandhi's Interaction with Students held at Kennedy Auditorium, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of a Cultural Programme of International Students held at Kennedy Auditorium, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director & Editor of a short film on the awareness of traffic named "Traffic Park" for Aligarh Police in association with Department of Mass Communication, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller of Video Shoot of Swachh Bharat Mission 2014 organized by Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Member of Parliaments Meet organized by Aligarh Muslim University held at India International Centre, New Delhi.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Aligarh Muslim University Alumni's Consultation Meet held at India International Centre, New Delhi.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Sir Syed Memorial Lecture 2010 on Muslims & modernity- The relevance of Sir Syed in 2010 by Mr. M. J. Akbar organized by Sir Syed Academy, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller & Editor of Sir Syed Day Celebrations, 2009, at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. The Chief Guest was Mr. Farooq Abdullah, the then Union Minister for New & Renewable Energy, J&K.

- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Foundation Laying Ceremony of Central Canteen, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of New Block of Dept. of Ophthalmology, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Inauguration of University Sophisticated Instruments Facility.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of New Block of Dept. of Computer Science, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Releasing Ceremony of a Magazine “Islam, Muslims & the World” by Prof. P. K. Abdul Azis, Ex Vice-Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh
- Production Controller, Director of Photography & Editor of Research Foundation held at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh. The Chief Guest was Manoj Patariya, Chairman, DST.

Production Manager of the Movies made by the students during Production Training

S. no.	Name of The Movie	Year
1.	A cup of coffee	2008
2.	Adhuriarzo	2008
3.	Anokhisazaa	2008
4.	Catharsis	2008
5.	Chase the vision	2008
6.	Faasle	2008
7.	Green is danger	2008
8.	Ilmkakhazana	2008
9.	The end	2008
10.	Anjan	2009
11.	Boond	2009
12.	Hidden fools	2009
13.	Jannat	2009
14.	Khamoshadalatjarihai	2009
15.	Mahatma	2009
16.	Outlines of darkness	2009
17.	Passbook	2009
18.	Tarana	2009

19.	Ali	2010
20.	Alvida	2010
21.	Bhook	2010
22.	Black and white	2010
23.	Conditions apply reloaded	2010
24.	I'm ok	2010
25.	R.T.I	2010
26.	Sweet poison	2010
27.	The rear window	2010
28.	Toba teksingh	2010
29.	Tohfa	2010
30.	Alone	2011
31.	Benazir	2011
32.	David research scholar	2011
33.	Honoured	2011
34.	Paradise lost	2011
35.	Black & White	2012
36.	Being	2012
37.	Category	2012
38.	Cursed cradle	2012
39.	Feedom-a mistake	2012
40.	Koshish	2012
41.	Manzil	2012
42.	Sting	2012
43.	Tiger pataudi-the true nawab	2012
44.	A boy named	2013
45.	Aaina	2013
46.	Being alive	2013
47.	Last breadth	2013
48.	Muntazir	2013
49.	Mysticus	2013
50.	The land of ignorance	2013
51.	Whats in a name	2013
52.	World of bread winner	2013
53.	Definitely abled	2014
54.	Devils logic	2014
55.	Khwahish	2014
56.	Love to love hai	2014
57.	My mistake	2014

58.	Sahar-a new begining	2014
59.	The chase	2014
60.	The confession	2014
61.	Talent barter	2014
62.	Sutta Nation	2015
63.	Khaki	2015
64.	White Blood	2015
65.	Don't Divide Us	2015
66.	Finding Happiness	2015
67.	Buddying Friendship	2015
68.	WeCan	2015
69.	Help	2015
70.	Khwahishen	2015
71.	Shades of Life	2015
72.	A day in My Pocket	2016
73.	Tarana Video	2016
74.	Domocratisation	2016
75.	Mottled Down	2016
76.	Re: Think	2016
77.	Reservation	2016
78.	Sikkon ka Sach	2016
79.	Silver Lining	2016
80.	Dast-e-Tanhai	2016
81.	Bitter Truth	2017
82.	Downer	2017
83.	Education 2030	2017
84.	Fading Darkness	2017
85.	Flame	2017
86.	God for Saken	2017
87.	GOR	2017
88.	Gumshuda	2017
89.	Incognito	2017
90.	Kal Chakra	2017
91.	Outlawby law	2017
92.	Partiksha	2017
93.	Seeding Violence	2017
94.	Sir Syed Mosque	2017
95.	The Gift of Magi	2017
96.	The unsung Heroes	2017

ANNEXURE – II

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Secretary of Aligarh Muslim University Drama Club during the session 2006-07.
- Active Member of Aligarh Muslim University Drama Club from 2002 till 2007.
- Recipient of many awards in Theatre at National and Zonal Levels.
- Recipient of many awards in short film category at National and Local Levels.
- Acted and Directed many plays at National Inter University Youth Festival, North Zone Inter University Youth Festival and at Aligarh Muslim University.
- Acted in Play “*Bhanvar*” and “*EkKoshish*” staged at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi.
- Participated in Theatre workshop by Ms. Neelam Gupta, from National School of Drama, New Delhi.
- Participated in Theatre Workshop by Mr. Firoz Khan, from National School of Drama, New Delhi.
- Participated in North Zone Inter University Youth Festival, organized by Association of Indian Universities, from 2003 till 2007 held at Kurukshetra University (Kurukshetra), Bundelkhand University (Jhansi), Maharishi Dayanand University (Rohtak), and Guru Nanak Dev University (Amritsar).
- Participated in National Inter University Youth Festival, organized by Association of Indian Universities, held at Nagpur University, Nagpur.
- Directed a short film “Conditions Apply”, produced by the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Edited a documentary film “Mission with Vision” on polio eradication programme conducted by Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Edited a documentary “Sir Syed keKhawab” on the vision of Sir Syed Ahmad Khan.
- Production controller in documentary “Parwaaz”, produced by the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Assisted in Direction for a documentary “My Foot”, produced by the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Undergone a two month summer training in Pulse Media Pvt Ltd., New Delhi.
- Attended workshop on Film & TV production/Direction under the supervision of Mr. Gurbeer Singh Grewal.

- Attended workshop on Acting & Direction under Mr. Firoz & Mr. Suman Kumar, from National School of Drama, New Delhi.
- Organized All India Sir Syed Memorial Debate, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Organized “Ensemble-07”, an Open University Drama Festival at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Organised “Shahnaaz Memorial Drama Night” at Rashtriya Audyogik evam Krishi Pardarshini, Aligarh.

ANNEXURE – III

AWARDS

- Awarded Best Director at Ensemble-06, an Open University Drama Festival organized by the Drama Club, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Directed a short Film “Conditions Apply”, which bagged the awards for Best Actor, Best Music and Best Screenplay at “Filmsaaz”, an International Film Festival held at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Directed and Edited a short film “Conditions Apply Reloaded”, which bagged the award for Best Actor and best Screenplay at “Filmsaaz”, an International Film Festival held at Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Production Controller of a Documentary “Parwaaz”, which got the best documentary award at Jahangirabaad Film Festival, Jahangirabaad, UP
- Awarded Second Best Play in North Zone Inter University Youth Festival on HIV/AIDS organized by the Association of Indian Universities at MDU, Rohtak.
- Awarded Consolation prize in a play at National Youth festival on HIV/AIDS organized by the Association of Indian Universities at STMU, Nagpur.
- Awarded Third Best Skit in North Zone Inter University Youth Festival organized by the Association of Indian Universities at BKU, Jhansi.
- Awarded Best Skit in Ensemble-04 an Open University Drama Festival organized by the Drama Club, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Awarded Best Play in Ensemble-06 an Open University Drama Festival organized by the Drama Club, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.
- Awarded Best Skit in Ensemble-06 an Open University Drama Festival organized by the Drama Club, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh.