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## MD ISRAR ALAM | Assistant Professor

### CURRENT DESIGNATION/ INVOLVEMENT

**Assistant Professor**, Department of Social Work, School of Arts and Social Sciences, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, Telangana, India since July 2012

### AREA OF INTEREST

- Gender and Intersectionality
- Muslims and Spatial Marginality
- Sustainable Livelihoods
- Participatory Community Practices
- Social Work Skills

### ONGOING ACADEMIC RESEARCH/PROJECTS

- Exploring identity, space, and structural marginality as intersecting livelihood vulnerabilities
- Developed workshop module on 'Tool Framework' for qualitative research
- Supervising Master's research dissertation on issues of gender, work, violence, financial inclusion and empowerment
- Conducting reflective interviews of social work educators on social work education, practices and research in Indian context

### INNOVATION WITH FIELD OF STUDY AND COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS

- Active participation in conceptualizing and developing Skill Lab Manual and Field Work Manual (*Bilingual- Urdu/English*) for social work students.
- Undertaking and facilitating Skill Lab activities for 13 years.
- Developed '**Term Plan Template**' (**Micro Planning**) for concurrent field work of MSW students (*Bilingual- Urdu/English*).
- Engaging with NOGs in Hyderabad for **capacity building** on Participatory Learning and Action for community interventions
- Organised one week '**Special Camp**' at Narsingi village (RR District,

Hyderabad) adopted under *Unnat Bharat Abhiyan* of ministry of MHRD in collaboration with Unnat Bharat Cell from 25<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2016.

- Organized a workshop on '**Participatory Community Assessment**' as part of Volunteer Development Programme for NSS Volunteers on 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> December 2016
- Organised and facilitated two months (December 2016 to January 2017) '**Vittiya Saksharta Abhiyaan (VISAKA)**' a campaign launched by MHRD in MANUU Campus, Telecom Nagar and Narsingi Village.
- Organised '**Youth Mela on Gender Sensitization**' in MANUU Campus in collaboration with Shaheen Women's Resource & Welfare Association, Hyderabad on 29.03.2019
- Coordinated and facilitated the participation MSW students in '**Peace Champions**' Workshop organised by My Choices Foundation, Hyderabad from 15<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> October 2019
- Organized **Blood Donation Camps** in MANUU campus from 2012 to 2017
- Supervision for MSW Dissertation work
- Preparatory Field work workshops for MSW students

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ACADEMIC AND  
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

- **12 YEARS OF TEACHING IN SOCIAL WORK**

- **Papers taught at MSW Level:**

Psychology for Social Work, Sociology for Social Work, Social Case Work, Social Welfare Administration, Poverty and Livelihood, Family and Child Centered Social Work Practice, Human Resource Development, Social Group Work

- **ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCES**

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- Academic Coordinator, Dept. of Social Work from January 2020 to August 2022
  - Department's Coordinator for IQAC
  - Department's Coordinator for NAAC 2016 and NAAC 2022
  - Member, School Board 2018-2021
  - Member, Board of Studies-Dept of Social Work
  - Member, Syllabus Review Committee, Dept. of Social Work, MANUU: Curriculum Designing for PG Diploma in Social Work (Rural Interventions), MANUU, Hyderabad (2013); MSW Curriculum Revision (2014); CBCS based course structure for MSW (2016)
  - Programme Coordinator, NSS Cell, MANUU from 25.08.2014 to 25.04.2017
  - Member, NSS Advisory Board 2016-2018
  - Member, VISAKA Committee for Training and facilitation of volunteers towards digital transaction Dec 2016-Jan 2017

- In-charge, Skill Lab, Dept. of Social Work since 2012 till date
- Faculty In-charge, Orientation Programme, Dept. of Social Work
- Students' Advisor, Dept. of Social Work 2012-2015

DETAILS OF PROJECTS  
UNDERATKEN

- One Minor Research Project Completed on '**Access to Livelihood Rights: A Study of Muslim Women in Slums of Hyderabad**' in 2016-2017 sponsored by UGC

EDUCATIONAL  
QUALIFICATION

- Pursuing Ph.D., School of Social Work  
**Tata Institute of Social Sciences**
- Master of Business Administration (Human Resource) (2011),  
**Biju Patnaik University of Technology**
- **Qualified UGC NET in Social Work (2006)**
- Master of Social Work (2006)  
**Aligarh Muslim University**

RESEARCH PUBLICATION  
DETAILS

- **Alam, M. I.** (2024). Muslim Khawateen ki Baikhtiyari aur Zariya-e-Maash men unki Hissedari. *Tahzibul AKhlaq*, 43(12), 20–27.
- **Alam, M. I.** (2021). Corona Buhraan aur mutaalliqa pasmandagi se nimatne me peshe warana social work ki ahmiyat aur mumkina madaakhlat. *Mahnaama Urdu Duniya*, 23(01), 71–74.
- **Alam, M. I.** (2020). Status of Muslim Women in the Workforce: Critical Reflections on Challenges. *Orissa Economic Journal* 52 (2), 84-104.
- **Alam, M. I.** (2018). Taleem, Rozgar Aur Pasmandagi: Hindustan ke Mazhabi Aqwam ka ek Jayeza. *Urdu Research Journal*, 16 (4), 243-251.
- **Alam, M. I.** (2015). Women and Livelihood: Reflections on Entitlements, Opportunities and Chanllenges. *International Journal for Social Development*, 3(2), 56-67.
- **Alam, M. I.** (2012). Family Well Being through SHG: Issues and Concerns. *Indian Journal of Social Studies and Humanities*, 1(2), 183-187

DETAILS OF  
CONFERENCE/SEMINAR  
/WORKSHOP/ FDP  
(ATTENDED/PRESENTED)

- Presented a paper on "**Muslim women and Sustainable Livelihood: Exploring Research Needs**" in IAWS southern Regional Conference on 'Debating current Policies of State, Market and Judiciary in South India – An Intersectional Perspective' jointly organised by IAWS, Tamilnadu Law University and, Bharthidarshan University, 8th & 9th July 2022.
- Presented a paper on "**Livelihood Choices, Muslim Women and Intersecting Vulnerabilities**" in National Seminar 'Globalization,

Development and Social Movements in India' organized by Department of Sociology, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, 18th & 19th February 2019.

- Presented a paper on **"Fostering Sustainable Livelihood and Community Development through Rural Tourism – A study of niche product and its opportunities"** in PAN IIT International Management Conference-2018 organised by IIT Roorkee, 30<sup>th</sup> November to 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2018.
- Presented a paper on "سوشل ورک اور مقامی علوم: اردو زبان کی خدمات کا ایک جائزہ" (Social Work and Indigenous Knowledge: Locating the contributions of Urdu Language )in 'First National Urdu Social Science Congress' organized by School of Arts and Social Sciences, MANUU, Hyderabad 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> December 2017.
- Presented a paper on **"Women and Livelihood: Reflections on Entitlements and Opportunities"** in a national seminar 'Socio Economic Inclusion of Muslim Women through Livelihood Activities' organized by CSSEIP, MANUU and SAFA India, Hyderabad, 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2013.
- Presented a paper entitled **'CSR: An integrated perspective of bringing the last, first'** in the **National Conference: Indian Management Practices: Challenges Ahead** organized by Gandhi Institute of Management Studies, Gunupur, Orissa 2010.
- Attended UGC sponsored **Refreshers' Course in "Sociology and Social Work"** from 6<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> September 2021 organised by UGC HRDC, Maulana Azad National Urdu University
- Attended UGC sponsored **Short Term Course** on "Research Methodology in Social Sciences" from 4<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> August 2020.
- Attended MHRD sponsored One Week **Faculty Development Programme** on "Open Source Tool for Research" organised by Ramanujan College, Delhi University, 8<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> June 2020.
- Attended UGC sponsored **Winter School Programme (Refreshers' Course)** from 30<sup>th</sup> November to 20<sup>th</sup> December 2017 organised by UGC HRDC, Maulana Azad National Urdu University
- Attended UGC sponsored **Orientation Programme** from 8<sup>th</sup> May to 04<sup>th</sup> June 2014 organised by UGC HRDC, Maulana Azad National Urdu University.

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DETAILS OF KEYNOTE  
SPEAKER/RESOURCE  
PERSON/ SESSION CHAIR ETC.

- **Co-chaired** a technical session in International Urdu Social Science Congress 2022 held on 'Social Sciences in South Asia' on dated 02<sup>nd</sup> February 2022
- **Invited Panelist** for discussion on 'Awareness and Redressal for Domestic Violence in India' organised by My Choices Foundation on dated 29<sup>th</sup> October 2021
- **Invited Expert** for Capacity Building Training for Master Trainers of

RRC Team under UNFPA-MANUU Adolescence Education Programme held at Patna, Bihar from 18<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2020.

- **Invited Expert** for a session on “Understanding Human Rights and Community mobilization” organised by My Choices Foundation, Hyderabad for the new batch of Peace Makers (Paralegals) on 30<sup>th</sup> January 2019.
- **Invited Speaker** to talk on ‘Implementation Aspects-Community Assessment and Interventions’ as part of Volunteer Development Programme of Human Welfare Foundation, Hyderabad on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2017.
- **Expert Participant** in one day MHRD New Education Policy Thematic Consultation Workshop (Theme X: Bridging Gender and Social Gaps in Higher Education) on sub theme of PWD and Higher Education at MANUU, Hyderabad on 24<sup>th</sup> August 2015.
- **Resource Person-** ‘Force Field Workshop’ for the volunteers of Azad Forum for Creativity thought organised by Azad Forum, MANUU on 21 February 2015.
- **Resource Person-** one day workshop on ‘Process of Self-Help Group Formation and their promotion’ organized for staff members and beneficiaries of SAFA Society, Hyderabad on 30<sup>th</sup> August 2014.
- **Resource Person-** Group Development Workshop for NSS Volunteers organized by NSS Cell, MANUU on 25<sup>th</sup> December 2013

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#### ACHIVEMENTS

1. International Journal for Social Development selected ‘**Women and Livelihood: Reflections on Entitlements, Opportunities and Challenges**’ as *best paper* of its Volume 3 Issue 2 2015.
2. Won **second prize** in paper presentation on topic “Celebrity Advertisement: Issues and concern” in 2010 at IACR, Rayagada, Odisha
3. Won **Second Position** in AMU Geographic Society Quize Competition

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#### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Life time membership of **National Association of Professional Social Workers in India** (NAPSWI)

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#### PERSONAL DETAILS

**Father’s Name** : Md Ibrar Alam  
**Date of Birth** : 12<sup>th</sup> July 1983  
**Gender** : Male  
**Marital Status** : Married  
**Nationality** : Indian  
**Language Known** : English, Hindi, Urdu

Date: February 2025

Place: Hyderabad

(MD. ISRAR ALAM)