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DR. ABUL SALIM KHAN

#### CURRENT DESIGNATION/ INVOLVEMENT

- **Guest Faculty (Full-Time)**  
Department of Social Work, Maulana Azad National Urdu University  
January 2023 – Present

#### AREA OF INTEREST

- Social Work and Public Health
- Language, Hegemony and Common Sense
- Anti-oppressive Social Work
- Indigenous Social Work
- Social Work & Marginalized Communities

#### EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

**Ph.D. in Social Work** (2021) – *Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad*

- **Thesis: Maternal and Child Health Practices Among Muslims in the Slums of Hyderabad**
- **Supervisor: Prof. Mohd. Shahid**

**UGC-JRF (Social Work)** – 2013

- **Master of Social Work (MSW)** – *Aligarh Muslim University, 2012*
- **Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) in Physics** – *Aligarh Muslim University, 2009*
- **Master of Sociology** (Pursuing) – *IGNOU*

#### FIELDWORK EXPERIENCES

- **Summer Internship:** Researched **Traditional Practices of Child Care (0-5 years)** in Khair Block, Aligarh, under the project *Supportive Supervision of Comprehensive Child Survival Programme*.
- **Counsellor (Fieldwork Trainee):** Provided counselling services in the **Department of Radiotherapy, JNMC, AMU**.
- **Summer Internship:** Studied **Employee Welfare Measures** at **Balrampur Chini Mills Limited, Balrampur**.
- **Social Mobilization:** Engaged in the **Polio Eradication Project (Underserved Strategy)**, AMU.
- **HR Trainee:** Worked at **Ajmal Khan Tibbiya College, Aligarh**, focusing on HR functions.

- **Rural Winter Camp:** Conducted awareness programs on **Health & Hygiene** in rural communities.
- **Community Engagement:** Led **Social Mobilization on Health & Hygiene** initiatives in Aligarh District.
- **Rural Winter Camp:** Facilitated **Environmental Awareness & Participatory Rural Appraisal** activities.

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

- **Guest Faculty (Full-Time)**  
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January 2023 – Present
- Facilitated Innovative **Academic Interventions, including Skill Lab activities.**
- Actively contributed to concurrent **fieldwork supervision and weekly seminar presentations.**
- Provided **individual supervision** to social work students.
- Engaged in teaching MSW students as part of doctoral academic responsibilities.
- Mentored students in preparation for **UGC NET/JRF** examinations.

## RESEARCH PUBLICATION

### Scopus listed Publications

- **Khan, A. S., & Shahid, M.** (2017). Religion, Fertility and “Common Sense” Making Sense of Demography in India. *Economic & Political Weekly*, 52(5), 34–40. Retrieved from <https://www.epw.in/journal/2017/5/perspectives/religion-fertilityand'common-sense'.html>
- Afsana, **Khan, A. S., & Shahid, M.** (2019). Neonatal mortality, breastfeeding practices and popular common sense. *Breastfeeding Review*, 27(2), 29–35. Australian Breastfeeding Association  
<https://search.informit.org/doi/10.3316/informit.674705594076008>
- **Khan, A.S., & Shahid, M.** (2022). Maternal and Newborn Care Practices among the Muslim Slum Dwellers in India: Does the Popular Common Sense Matter? *The International Journal of Community and Social Development*, 4(4), 426-441  
<https://doi.org/10.1177/25166026221128182>

### Other Publications (Content Development/Translation)

- Shahid, M., Khan, A.S. (2019). Social Work Education: A debate on Indigenisation vs Internationalisation. MSWE 007: International Social Work, Block 2: *International Social Work Education. New Delhi: Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU)*. Retrieved from <https://egyankosh.ac.in/handle/123456789/51743>
- Khan, A. S. (2022). Village Society (Dehi Samaj). In Malik Rehan Ahmad (Ed.), *Sociology of India (Urdu)*. Directorate of Distance Education Maulana Azad National Urdu University Gachibowli Hyderabad.  
[https://manuu.edu.in/dde/sites/default/files/DDE/DDE-SelfLearnmaterial/11-Dec-2022/BA2ndSem/Sociology-\(Sociology-of-India\).pdf](https://manuu.edu.in/dde/sites/default/files/DDE/DDE-SelfLearnmaterial/11-Dec-2022/BA2ndSem/Sociology-(Sociology-of-India).pdf)

TEACHING  
PROFICIENCY

- English, Hindi, Urdu

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DETAILS OF  
CONFERENCE/SEMINAR  
/WORKSHOP/TRAINING

- Attended a 3-day workshop on "**Mental Health and Psychosocial Well-Being**," organized by the Department of Social Work, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, from **December 11 to 13, 2024**.
- **Training Certification:** Successfully completed a 2-day training on "**Gender Sensitization**," conducted by **Samyak** and organized by the Department of Social Work, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, from **February 9 to 10, 2024**.
- **Training Certification:** Successfully completed a 3-day training on "**Constitutional Values and Social Work**," conducted by **Sanvidhan Parcharak** and organized by the Department of Social Work, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad, from **February 2 to 4, 2024**.
- Presented a paper titled '**Maternal and Newborn Care Practices: A Thematic Review**' at the **11th Indian Social Work Congress**, held from **November 3 to 5, 2023**, at Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Department of Social Work, Hyderabad."
- **Maternal and Child Health Practices in India: Reflection through Gramscian lens of common sense.** Two Day National Seminar on Social Work and Marginalised Groups Department of Social Work MANUU 19-20 March 2018.
- **Knowledge, Awareness and Behaviour regarding HIV/AIDS: A study of Muslim women in Haldwani city.** Second Urdu Social Science Congress School of Arts & Social Sciences 15-16 November 2018.
- **Indigenous Knowledge Base in Indian Social Work Education.** First Urdu Social Science Congress School of Arts & Social Sciences 14-15 December 2017.
- **Religious and Modern Education: New Approaches towards Education.** AMU. National Seminar on Traditional verses Modern Education: Vision and Planning of Muslim Institutions CEPECAMI, AMU, Aligarh March 1-2, 2014. Centre for Promotion of Educational and Cultural Advancement of Muslims of India (CEPECAMI),
- **Ten days Research Methodology Course** Al-Beruni Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, MANUU, Hyderabad & ICSSR New Delhi MANUU, Hyderabad February 1-10, 2016
- **Consultation Workshop New Education Policy 2015: Bridging Gender and Social Gaps in Higher Education.** Centre for Women Studies and Department of Social Work, MANUU, Hyderabad Centre for Women Studies and Department of Social Work, MANUU, Hyderabad August 24, 2015
- **UGC Professional Development Programme (PDP) on Statistical Package** Human Resource Development Centre, MANUU, Hyderabad September 14-19, 2015
- **Two Day Research Methodology Workshop** Research Cell, Roda Mistry Collage of Social Work and Research Centre, Hyderabad September 17-18, 2014
- **Training on Supportive Supervision of Comprehensive Child Survival Programme** in Aligarh District NRHM, UNICEF & Department of Sociology & Social Work, AMU, Aligarh June 9-18, 2011

**ONLINE CERTIFICATE COURSES**

- Certificate course on "**Prevention of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PESA)**" Offered by UNICEF through the Agora platform dated September 27, 2018
- Certificate course on "**Disability Orientation**" Offered by UNICEF through the Agora platform dated September 27, 2018
- Certificate course on "**Child rights and why they matter**" Offered by UNICEF through the Agora platform dated September 27, 2018
- Certificate course on "**Introduction to Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH)**" Offered by UNICEF through the Agora platform dated September 27, 2018
- Certificate course on "**Introduction to Child Protection**" Offered by UNICEF through the Agora platform dated September 29, 2018
- Certificate course on "**Early Childhood Programming in the Field**" Offered by UNICEF through the Agora platform dated September 30, 2018
- Certificate course on "**Gender-Responsive Monitoring & Evaluation**" Offered by UNICEF through the Agora platform dated September 30, 2018

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**SKILLS**

**Research & Analytical Skills**

- Qualitative Research
- In-depth Interviewing
- Literature Review (Proficient)
- Narrative Research (Moderate)
- Data Dissemination

**Technical & Software Skills**

- Mendeley Reference Manager (Proficient)
- IBM SPSS (Moderate)
- NVivo (Learning)

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**DETAILS OF SUPERVISION M.PHIL/P.HD/MA STUDENTS**

- Not applicable
- Supervised 6+ **MA Social Work dissertations** since 2023

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**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- **National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI)** – Member since 2015

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**PERSONAL DETAILS**

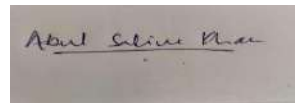
- **Date of Birth:** 10th February 1988
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**Place:** Hyderabad



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