

Curriculum Vitae

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Personal Data

| Date of Birth | : | April 04, 1980 |
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| Place of Birth | : | Salia, Anantnag, (J&K), India |
| Parentage | : | Abdul Aziz Bhat |
| Marital Status | : | Married |
| Permanent Addre | ss: | R/o: Salia Anantnag, Jammu and Kashmir-192129, India. |

Academic Records

- Ph.D. Department of Education Aligarh Muslim University Aligarh 2015.
- UGC NET in (Education) 2014
- M.Ed. (Department of Education) University of Kashmir, Srinagar, Jammu & Kashmir, 190006. 2009
- M.A. Education IGNOU
- B. Ed. University of Kashmir, Srinagar, Jammu & Kashmir, 190-006. 2004
- B.A. University of Kashmir, Srinagar, Jammu & Kashmir, 190-006. 2001

Ph. D. Topic: A Study of Reasoning ability, Problem solving ability and Learning Styles of Secondary school Students in relation to Academic Achievement and Certain Demographic Variables.

Publications

- Learning Styles in the Context of Reasoning and Problem Solving Ability: An Approach based on Multivariate Analysis of Variance. Accepted by *International Journal of education and Psychological Studies*, Sakarya University Turkey ISSN: 2148-9378, Vol. 6, Issue 1
- 2. The Predictive Power of Reasoning Ability on Academic Achievement. International Journal of Learning, Teaching and Educational Research Vol. 15, No. 1, pp. 79-88, January 2016
- 3. Learning by ICT in Association to their Learning Styles- An Attitudinal Study of High School Students. International Education Conference on Learning Technologies in Education Paper ID: IEC15-1173. Faculty of Education Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi.
- Understanding Learning Styles of Secondary School Students in relation to Certain Variables. Asian Journal of Multi-disciplinary, ISSN: 2321-8819, Issue 2, Vol. 11, pp. 1-8, November 2014.
- Construction and Evaluation of Reliability and Validity of Reasoning Ability Test. International Journal of educational Studies, ISSN: 2305-106X, Vol. 01, Issue 2, pp. 47-52, 2014
- 6. The Effect of Learning Styles on Problem Solving Ability among High School Students. International Journal of Humanities and Advanced Studies ISSN: 2347-7474, Vol. 2 Issue 7, pp. 1-6 July, 2014.
- Effect of Problem Solving Ability on the Achievement in Mathematics of High School Students. *Indian Journal of Applied Research, ISSN - 2249-*555X, Vol. 4, Issue 8, pp, 685-688, August 2014.
- 8. Understanding the Learning Styles and its Influence on Teaching/Learning Process" *International Journal of Education and Psychological Research* (*IJEPR*) *ISSN*: 2279-0179 Vol. 3, Issue 1, pp: 14-21, March 2014.
- 9. Reforms in Evaluating Pre-Service Teacher Training Programmes in Jammu & Kashmir. Educationia Confab ISSN: 2320-009X Vol. 3, No.2, pp. 33-39 February 2014.

10. Academic achievement of secondary school students in relation to self-concept and parental encouragement. *International Journal of Recent Scientific Research*, Vol. 4, Issue, 6, pp.738-741, June, 2013

Conferences

- Presented a paper entitled "Higher Education in J&K: An overview" in Two Day National Conference on "Higher Education in Jammu and Kashmir: Expansion and Quality Control" organized by Department of Education Govt. Degree College Bijbehara on 15th and 16th of March 2023.
- 2. Presented a paper entitled "Choice Based Credit System in Contest of Present Education Scenario" in One Day Workshop on "Choice Based Credit System: Issues and Challenges" organized by DIQA University of Kashmir on 5th of August 2017
- 3. Presented a Paper entitled "Reforms in Evaluation and Assessment in Higher Education" in one day National Seminar on "Emerging Challenges in Institutions in Higher Learning" organised by Government Degree College Boys Anantnag on 14th of March 2017.
- 4. Presented a paper entitled "Effective Strategies for Improving Challenges of Examinations in Higher Education" in two-day National Seminar on Quality Concerns in Higher Education" organised by IQAC and School of Education, Central University of Kashmir in Collaboration with NAAC.
- Presented a paper entitled "Higher Education in Jammu & Kashmir- its Expansion and Quality control" in the 8th International Conference "Challenges in Higher education" at Desh Bhagat University on 26th& 27th September 2014.
- 6. Presented a paper entitled "Madrasasa Traditional Educational System of Muslim Culture and Initiatives of Government for their Modernization" in National Seminar on Organized by Centre for Promotion of Educational and Cultural Advancement of Muslims of India Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh U.P. on 1st -2nd March 2014.
- 7. Presented a paper entitled "Motivation and Motivating Mechanisms for Attaining Professional Education for Muslim Students" in National

Seminar on Professionalization of Education: Problems and Opportunities for Indian Muslims. Organized by Centre for Promotion of Educational and Cultural Advancement of Muslims of India Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh U.P. on 30^{th} of Nov. – 1^{st} Dec. 2013.

8. Presented a paper entitled "*Reforms in examination system with special reference to quality education in India*", in "*International Conference on Reforms in examination system* "organized by Faculty of Education RBS college Agra, U.P. and Indian Society for Education and Environment ISEE, Chennai, on January 20-21, 2013

Psychological Tests Published

 Reasoning Ability Test. H.P. Bhargava Book House/ National Psychological Cooperation Agra, U. P. ISBN 93-83398-72-8

Books Published

- "Philosophical and Sociological Foundations of Education" APH publishing House New Delhi. ISBN 987-93-313-2320-0
- "Foundation in Sociology in Education" Mamta Publications Srinagar.

Book Chapters Published

- Attitude of Secondary School Students towards Social Networking in relation to Learning Styles, in *Digital Education*. Published by APH Publishing Cooperation New Delhi ISBN: 978-93-88316-08-8
- Attitude of Teachers towards Environmental Education in Relation to their Professional Training and Teaching Experience in a *Text Book of Environmental Education*. Published by A.P.H Publishing Cooperation New Delhi: ISSBN- 978-91-7946-098-6

Orientation/Refresher Courses Attended

• Attended four weeks General Orientation Course at Guru Nanik Dev University Amristsar from 15-12-2017 to 11-01-2018

- Attended two weeks Refresher Course on Human Rights at University of Kashmir Srinagar from 29-01-2020 to 12-02-2020
- Attended two weeks Refresher Course on Teacher at University of Kashmir Srinagar from 26-08-2022 to 08-09-2022

Workshops/Induction Courses

- Attended Six days induction programme for newly recruited assistant professors in Higher Education in the subject Education w.e.f 4/03/2017-11/03/2017 organised by college of Education Srinagar.
- Attended ten days workshop on *Research Methodology sponsored by ICSSR* conducted by Department of Economics Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh U.P from 1-9-2014 to 10-9-2014.
- Attended ten days workshop on *Research Methodology sponsored by ICSSR* conducted by Centre for Promotion of Educational and Cultural Advancement of Muslims of India Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh U.P from 19-11-2013 to 28-11-2013.

Teaching Experience at M.Ed/M.A/ Under Graduate Level

- Working as Assistant professor in Govt, Degree College Kokernag from 04-10-2023 to till date
- Worked as Assistant professor in Govt, Degree College Bijbehara from 23/02/2017 to 04-10-2023.
- Worked as Assistant Professor School of Education BGSBU Rajouri from 01-09- 2016 to 22-02-2017.
- Worked as Contractual Lecturer in University of Kashmir South Campus Anantnag from 23-03-2016 to 31-08- 2016.
- Worked as Contractual Lecturer in University of Kashmir South Campus Anantnag from 06-05-2015 to 15-01- 2016.
- Worked as Contractual Lecturer in University of Kashmir South Campus Anantnag from 10-03-2012 to 03-11- 2012.

- Worked as Contractual Lecturer in University of Kashmir South campus Anantnag from 01-04-2011 to 31-12- 2011.
- Worked as Contractual Lecturer in University of Kashmir South campus Anantnag from 09-03-2010 to 31-01- 2011.
- Worked as Contractual Lecturer in University of Kashmir South Campus Anantnag from 20-07- 2009 to 14-01-2010.

Resource Person

- Working as Liaison Officer of Study Cum Information Centre Distance Education University of Kashmir of B. Ed Course at GDC Bijbehara from 2020 to 04-10-2023.
- Worked as Resource Person in IGNOU for guiding M.A Dissertations w.e.f 2015 to till date.

Memberships of Professional/Academic Bodies

- Organized Two Day National Conference on "Higher Education in Jammu and Kashmir: Expansion and Quality Control" organized by Department of Education Govt. Degree College Bijbehara on 15th and 16th of March 2023.
- Managed (look after) the Govt. Degree College Bijbehara during the month of January 2020 when the college was without Principal
- Member in Installation of research ecosystem in Govt. College of Education (IASE) Cluster University Srinagar
- Setting papers at Undergraduate level in the discipline of Education University of Kashmir
- Convenor/Coordinator of College Development Committee, Purchasing Committee, IQAC, Local Fund Committee, Landscape Committee and member of various committee of Govt. Degree College Bijbehara and Kokernag.

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- Member in Departmental research committee for the year 2016-17 in School of Education BGSB University Rajouri (J&K).
- Member, Board of Post Graduate studies for the year 2016-17 in School of Education BGSB University Rajouri (J&K).
- Nodal officer, all Indian Survey on Higher Education (AISHE) for the year 2016-17 in School of Education BGSB University Rajouri (J&K).
- Member, Editorial Board in International journal of technology management & humanities from 2015 onwards.

Research Experience

Guided Research Work at M.A Education level on the following topics:

- Evaluation of SSA with Respect to Enrolment and Academic Performance of Elementary School Students of Zone Devsar
- A study of Self-esteem of adolescents in relation to gender and place of living
- Evaluating Teacher Effectiveness and Job Satisfaction among Married and Unmarried Teachers at Secondary Level
- A study of learning styles of undergraduate students in relation to their academic streams and gender of district Anantnag (J&K)
- Academic Achievement of Adolescent Students in relation to Family Environment: A Correlative Study
- A Study of Academic Anxiety among High School Students in relation to Gender Type of Family and Institution
- A Study of Environmental Awareness among Elementary School Students in Relation to Certain Variables

Area of Specialization

Educational Psychology

Measurement and Evaluation in Education

Subjects Taught at M.A/M.Ed/Under Graduate Level

- Educational Psychology,
- Measurement and Evaluation in Education
- Educational Technology
- Early Childhood Care and Education
- Issues and Problems of Contemporary Indian Education

Computer Skills

- Microsoft Office, Access
- SPSS16, 20

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