

## **Seminars Given**

- 1) **'Role of Women in Nationalist Movement'**, 25 January 2020, Bacha Khan Markaz, Peshawar.
- 2) **'Quaid-i-Azam Mohammad Ali Jinnah kay Nazriyathee Rifaqa'**, Urdu, (Ideological Companions of Quaid-i-Azam Mohammad Ali Jinnah), 31 December 2019, National Language Authority, Islamabad.
- 3) **'Witness to History: A Personal Account of and Reflections upon the Soviet Invasion of Afghanistan'**, 26 December 2019, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad.
- 4) **'Non-violence, Abdul Ghaffar Khan, and the Pashtoons'**, 2 October 2019, Social Sciences Faculty Seminar, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad.
- 5) **'Qissa Khwani Massacre, April 23, 1930: A Forgotten Chapter of History'**, 23 April 2019, History Society, Department of History, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad.
- 6) **'Fazal Mahmud Makhfi: A Visionary Poet'**, 4 March 2019, Pashto Literary Society, Academy of Letters, Islamabad.
- 7) **'Ghani Khan: His Life and Times'**, 15 January 2019, Social Sciences Faculty Seminar, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad.
- 8) **'Pakistan's Elections 2018: Its Significance and Aftermath'**, 26 July 2018, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 9) **'Abdul Ghaffar Khan, Non-Violence, Mahatma Gandhi and the Pashtuns: An Appraisal'**, 17 July 2018, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 10) **'Identity Crisis and the Responsibilities of the Present Historians of Pakistan'**, Key Note Address, in a Conference on Sindh: History and Culture, 21 November 2015, Shah Abdul Latif University, Khairpur, Sindh.
- 11) **'Reforms and Rebellion in Afghanistan during 1919-1929: An Appraisal'**, 15 May 2015, International Islamic University Distinguished Scholar's Talk Series, International Islamic University, Islamabad.
- 12) **'The Qissa Khwani Bazaar Massacre at Peshawar, 23 April 1930'**, 23 April 2015, National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad.

- 13) **'The Formation of Anjuman e Islah al Afaghana and Its Impact on the Pashtoon Society'**, 1 April 2015, Special Guest Scholar Series, Bacha Khan University, Charsadda, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
- 14) **'Azad Madrassa Utmanzai and Its Contribution to the Educational Uplift of the Pashtoons During 1920-1930: An Appraisal'**, 15 January 2015, Allama Iqbal University Distinguished Scholar's Talk Series, Allama Iqbal Open University, Islamabad.
- 15) **'Gender and Politics in Pakistan: The Political Role of Pashtun Women in Historical Perspective'**, 18 December 2013, Centre for South Asian Studies (CEIAS), Paris.
- 16) **'Federalism, Ethnicity and Sub-national Identity in Pakistan'**, 22 November 2012, Wildbad Kreuth (Munich, Germany).
- 17) **'What is Pakistan's role in the War upon Terror'**, 6 July 2012, Peterskirche (Peters Church), University of Heidelberg.
- 18) **'Ethno-Religious Movements in Waziristan and Hazara during 1936-1947'**, 29 May 2012, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg.
- 19) **'The Life and Times of Hari Kishan and Naujawan Bharat Sabha: an Appraisal'**, 27 May 2012, *Chingari*, Frankfurt.
- 20) **'Pakistan after the Floods: Challenges and Responses'**, 27 February 2012, Lions Club, Waldbronn.
- 21) **'Abdul Ghaffar Khan, 'the Frontier Gandhi' and the Non-Violence among the Pashtoons'**, 7 December 2011, Religious and Cultural History, University of Erfurt.
- 22) **'Reforms and Militancy in the Tribal Areas of Pakistan: A Re-Assessment'**, 17 November 2011, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg.
- 23) **'Pakistan: Challenges and Responses'**, 13 September 2011, Social Science Research Council, Berlin.
- 24) **'The Life and Times of Abdul Ghaffar Khan and Non-Violence among the Pashtuns'**, 27 July 2011, '16 Hamburger-Afghanistan-Woche' (16 Afghanistan Week in Hamburg), Afghanisch-Deutsche-Begegnungen, 25-29 July 2011, Hamburg.
- 25) **'Cultural Impact of the Afghan refugees on Pakistan and Pakistan-Afghanistan relations during 1978-2011'**, 26 July 2011, '16 Hamburger-Afghanistan-Woche' (16

- Afghanistan Week in Hamburg), *Afghanisch-Deutsche-Begegnungen*, 25-29 July 2011, Hamburg.
- 26) 'Subah Azadi – August 1947 and the Communal Violence in the Punjab', 13 June 2011, Urdu-Deutscher Kulturverein, Frankfurt, Germany.
- 27) 'Religion and Politics in Pakistan', 19 April 2011, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 28) 'Faiz Ahmad Faiz — A Revolutionary Poet of Pakistan: An Appraisal', 11 February 2011, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 29) 'Mother in the Poetry of Allama Iqbal and Abdul Ghani Khan', 17 December 2010, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 30) 'Fencing of the Durand Line: Will it Stop the Cross-Border Infiltration', 26 July 2010, University of Bonn, Germany.
- 31) 'Khushal Khan Khattak and Allama Mohammad Iqbal', 6 June 2010, Heidelberg, Germany.
- 32) 'Allama Mohammad Iqbal and Heidelberg', 4 June 2010, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 33) 'Civil Disobedience Movement in the Peshawar Valley during 1930-1931: An Appraisal', 1 June 2010, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 34) 'Waziristan und seine Kultur' (Waziristan and its Culture), 27 May 2010, *Frieden im Mittleren Osten'*, Urdu-Deutscher Kulturverein, Frankfurt, Germany.
- 35) 'Pakistan Resolution (March 1940) and the Current Situation in Pakistan', 28 March 2010, Urdu-German Cultural Society, Frankfurt, Germany.
- 36) 'Allama Mohammad Iqbal and Afghanistan', 24 March 2010, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 37) 'Afghan – Mughal Conflict in India during 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> Centuries : An Appraisal', 15 December 2009, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 38) 'Sir Sayyid Ahmad Khan, M. A. Jinnah and the Muslim Nationalism in India', 10 December 2009, Department of History, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 39) 'Personal Interviews as a Source of Oral History', 10 November 2009, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.

- 40) 'Convening of Pashtoon Qaumi Jirga for the Solution of Present Crisis in the Region', 15 October 2009, Wilton Park Conference, London (UK).
- 41) '23 April 1930 — the Peshawar Tragedy', 23 April 2009, National Institute of Pakistan Studies, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad.
- 42) 'Party Politics in Pakistan After February 2008: An Appraisal', 15 July 2008, Department of Political Science, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 43) 'Economic Developments and the State of Affairs in Pakistan: Successes and Failures', 10 July 2008, Department of History, Main Campus, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 44) 'Poverty, marginalisation and human rights: a case study of Pakistan', 6 July 2008, Department of History, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 45) 'Ethnic Mapping and Ethnic Nationalism: A Comparative Study of Pakistan and Burma', 21-23 February 2008, Social Science Research Council, South Asia Regional Fellowship Programme, Dubai.
- 46) 'State Policies and democratization: A Comparative Study of Burma and Pakistan in the 1950s and 1960s', 10-11 November 2006, Social Science Research Council, South Asia Regional Fellowship Programme, Goa (India).
- 47) 'The Escape of Subhas Chandra Bose from British India to Kabul', 14 July 2006, Institute for Orient and Asia', (Indology Department), University of Bonn, Germany.
- 48) 'Politics of 'One Unit' (October 1955) and its repercussions on Pakistan', 19-23 December 2005, Social Science Research Council, Negombo, Sri Lanka.
- 49) 'Women, Education and Social Reform in the Pukhtun Society as Reflected in the Pukhtun (1928-1947), Eight Sustainable Development Conference', 7-9 December 2005, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad.
- 50) 'Merger of Tribal Areas of N-WFP into the Settled Districts of Pakistan', 20 June 2005, Department of International Relations, University of Peshawar, Peshawar.
- 51) 'Quaid-i-Azam, Simla Conference (June 1945) and Its Impact Upon the N-WFP Politics', National Conference on Quaid-i-Azam Mohammad Ali Jinnah: his

Thought and Contribution'30-31 December 2004, National Institute of Historical and Cultural Research, Islamabad.

- 52) 'Resistance Movements in Waziristan', 21 April 2004, Sustainable Development Policy Institute, Islamabad.
- 53) 'The "Talibanisation" of the N-WFP: Centre-Province Relations in Pakistan', 21 July 2003, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg-'Islam in South Asia: Myths and Realities', 10 July 2003, Department of History, University of Heidelberg.
- 54) 'Subhas Chandra Bose's Escape: An Appraisal', 25 June 2003, Department of History, Humboldt University, Berlin.
- 55) 'The Arrival of Turco-German Mission at Kabul (October 1915) and Its Impact on Afghanistan', 22 November 2002, Area Study Centre (Central Asia), University of Peshawar, Peshawar.
- 56) 'The Fall of the Taliban Regime in Afghanistan and its Repercussions on the Tribal Areas of Pakistan', 7 August 2002, Department of History, South Asia Institute, Humboldt University, Berlin (Germany).
- 57) 'Pakistan after 11 September', 12 July 2002, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Heidelberg (Germany)
- 58) 'Afghanistan in the Axis Strategy during the First World War', 10 July 2001, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg (Germany).
- 59) 'Khushal au Aurangzeb: Yawa Jaiza', 23 June 2001, International Conference on Khushal Khan Khattak, Koln (Germany).
- 60) 'Sultan Shahab-ud Din Ghorī in Pashto Literature', 15 March 2001, Study of Asian Civilisations, Islamabad.
- 61) 'Writings on Afghanistan in the *Journal of Royal Central Asian Society* 1919-1945 - An Appraisal', 9 February 2001, Area Study Centre, University of Peshawar, Peshawar.
- 62) 'N-WFP Muslims and the Partition of India', 26 January 2001, Council of Social Sciences, Islamabad.

- 63) 'Khudai Khidmatgars and the Partition of India: A Re-Appraisal', 3 January 2001, Indian History Congress The Millennium (61st) Session, Calcutta, 2-4 January 2001, University of Calcutta.
- 64) 'German Interest in the N-WFP During War Years', 7 December 2000, Pak-German Friendship Forum, Islamabad.
- 65) 'The Arm Bazaars of Darra Adam Khel', 20 June 00, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg.
- 66) 'Congress, Khudai Khidmatgars and the Partition of India — A Re-Appraisal', 22 May 00, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg.
- 67) 'Informal Arms Production and Trade in Pakistan - A Case Study of Darra Adam Khel', 30-31 July 1999, Conference on Governance and Corruption in South Asia, Colombo, Sri Lanka.
- 68) 'Fall of Amanullah As Seen by His Contemporaries', 20 February 1998', Area Study Centre, University of Peshawar.
- 69) 'The Story of My Life as a Brigand King — an Appraisal', 14 March 1997, Area Study Centre, University of Peshawar.
- 70) 'Political Dynamics of the N-WFP in the Colonial Period', 6 December 1996, Conference on the Regional History of Pakistan, Queen Elizabeth House, University of Oxford.
- 71) 'Dismissal of Dr. Khan Sahib's Ministry — August 1947', 30 June 1996, 10th Pakistan Workshop, Satterthwaite, Lake District, (UK).
- 72) 'The Escape of Subhas Chandra Bose — Myths and Reality', 17 June 1996, South Asia Institute, University of Heidelberg, Germany.
- 73) 'Pashtoon Women and Politics', 22 May 1996, Graduate Workshop in Commonwealth History, University of Oxford.
- 74) 'Agrarian Unrest during First Khan Sahib Ministry — A Case Study of Ghalla Dher', 1 April 1996, Graduate Students Seminar on South Asia, University of Cambridge.
- 75) 'Agrarian Unrest in the North-West Frontier Province During the First Khan Sahib Ministry (1937-1939) Ghalla Dher — A Case Study', 21 November 1995, St. Antony's College, University of Oxford.

- 76) 'The Great Escape', 23 February 1995, Area Study Centre, University of Peshawar.
- 77) 'Pashtoon Identity and the Politics of the Khudai Khidmatgars', 20 January 1995, Zakir Hussain Institute of Islamic Studies, Jamia Millia, Delhi.
- 78) 'Women and Politics in the N-WFP 1930-1947', 6 January 1995, South Asia Study Centre, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- 79) 'Women and Politics in the N-WFP', 20-21 May 1994, 8th Pakistan Workshop, Satherthwaite, Lake District, (UK).
- 80) 'Sources for the Study of Muslim Politics on India's North-West Frontier in the Early Twentieth Century', 8 March 1994, St. Antony's College, University of Oxford.
- 81) 'Faqir of Ipi and the Khudai Khidmatgars', 31 March 1992, Faqir of Ipi International Seminar, Dera Ismail Khan, N-WFP.
- 82) 'Frontier Contingent to Lahore Resolution (March 1940)', 15 March 1985, Area Study Centre, University of Peshawar.