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Received Post-doc (short-term) from Swansea University, UK (2019). Received Ph.D. in Physical Chemistry from Quaid-i-Azam University Pakistan in 2012. M. Phil. 2006, in Physical Chemistry from Quaid-i-Azam University Pakistan, M.Sc. in Chemistry from Quaid-i-Azam University Pakistan in 2002.

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#### **Academic Qualifications**

Post-doc., Swansea University, UK, 2019

Ph.D. in Physical Chemistry, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad, Pakistan, 2012

M. Phil. in Physical Chemistry, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad, Pakistan, 2006

M.Sc. in Chemistry, Quaid-i-Azam University, Pakistan, 2004

#### **Teaching Activities**

Physical Chemistry-I/II

Environmental Chemistry

	Polymer Chemistry
	Advanced Physical Chemistry laboratory
	Nanomaterials Characterization
	Applied Industrial Chemistry
Research Activities	
- Research Interests	
	Semiconductor photocatalysis
	Wastewater treatment using nanomaterial photocatalysis
	Environmental remediation and renewable energy applications
	Synthesis and characterization of magnetic oxide nanomaterials
	Chemometrics

## Faculty Administrative Experience

2017 - Present: Department academic advising officer

2017 - Present: Program Coordinator for M.Sc. Chemistry

### **Membership in Professional Bodies**

2019-Present: Member of Chemical Society of Pakistan

2019-Present: Member Royal Society of Chemistry (MRSC; #629441)

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