

# AHMAD FAROOQ



## PERSONAL INFORMATION



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Sex: Male

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## CAREER OBJECTIVE

- Self-motivated and dedicated biological researcher with experience in research and Field, seeking a challenging career with a progressive organization that provides an Opportunity to utilize, promote and deliver my academic and technical skills, and Abilities in academia and biological research. I want to be a part of a team that excelled In working towards the achievement of goals which will help me to learn and acquire Professional development and interesting experiences while contributing to the Organization's short and long-term plans.
- Ability to handle multiple projects in a fast-paced environment.
- Excellent organization, analytical, and problem-solving skills.
- An energetic, conscientious, and cooperative work with a great degree of self-Confidence and responsibility.

## ACADEMIC CAREER

2020-2021	<b>MSc (HONS) Agriculture Horticulture</b> University of Agriculture Peshawar CGPA= 3.79/4.00
2016-2019	<b>BSc (HONS) Agriculture</b> University of Agriculture Peshawar CPGA= 3.26/4.00
2014-2015	<b>Faculty of Science (FSc)Pre-Medical</b> AKRAM KHAN DURRANI COLLEGE Bannu (AKDC) MARKS= 751/1100
2011-2013	<b>Secondary School Certificate (SSC)</b> AKRAM KHAN DURRANI COLLEGE Bannu (AKDC) MARKS= 822/1050

## PROFESSIONAL / WORKING EXPERIENCE

Nov 2019-Jan 2020: United Nation Development Program

Nov 2021-Dec 2022: Worked as a trainee under the USAID-funded project "Developing Aquaponics system to produce safe, organic food in a sustainable and environment friendly way"

## SKILLS

- MS Office (Word, Power Point, Excel)
- Collaboration & Teamwork
- Project Management.
- 3-D Landscaping Designing.
- Nursery Management
- Topiary Making
- Bonsai Making
- Office Management
- Research Designing.
- Research writing
- Publications
- Freelancing
- Rockery

## LANGUAGES

- English
- Urdu
- Pashto

## HOBBIES

- Gardening
- Wood working
- Cooking
- Football

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## CONFERENCE/ SEMINARS/ TRAINING WORKSHOP/ FIELD DAYS

### Conference

Participated and completed the “two days Strategies for ensuring FOOD SECURITY in the changing climate” held on 23-24 October 2019 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and sponsored by Dept. of Agronomy AUP, Pakistan science Foundation, Pakistan Society of Scientific Research, International Journal of Agriculture and Environmental Research.

Participated and completed the “two days Beneficial Microbes & Sustainable Crop Production” held on 19-20 February 2020 at The University of agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and Sponsored by American Society of Microbiology.

Participated and completed the “16<sup>th</sup> National Weed Science Congress of Weed Science of Pakistan” Theme “Vegetation Management and Agro-Biodiversity: Trends and Implications” held on 08-10 July 2021 at Dept. of Weed Science and Botany, The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Participated and completed the “three days Food Security through Sustainable Plant Protection Strategies” held on 11-13 January 2022 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and Sponsored by FAO and HEC.

Participated and completed the “two days Food Security through Sustainable Agriculture Strategies in the current Climate Change Scenario” held on 08-10 March 2023 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Participated and completed the “five days Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security” held on 27-31 August 2023 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

### Seminars

Participated and completed the “one day Value Chain Analysis of Potential Crops, Vegetable & Fruits through prevails Enterprise Development Challenges & way forward for Merged Areas” held on 17 December 2020 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and Sponsored by Dept. of Horticulture under ADP Project.

Participated and completed the “one day Introduction to Pocket Areas Approach, Benefit, Prospect, and Weakness & Possible Solution to enhance Crops Production in Selected Merged Districts” held on 18 December 2020 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and Sponsored by Dept. of Horticulture under ADP Project.

Participated and completed the “one day Influence of Climate Change on Horticulture Crop Production” held on 12 December 2023 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Participated and completed the “one day WORLD SOIL DAY: Halt Soil Salinization & Boost Soil

Productivity” held on 05 December 2021 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and jointly organized by Directorate General Soil & Water Conservation Kpk and Dept. of Soil and Environmental Sciences.

Participated and completed the “one day Plant Protection Measures in the Climate Change Process” held on 19 January 2022 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Participated and completed the “one day GROUND WATER: Making the Invisible Visible” held on 22 March 2022 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Participated and completed the “two days Prospects and Economic Benefits of Garlic Variety ‘NARC’ Awareness-Training Business Opportunity” held on 15-16 December 2021 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Participated and completed the “one day ACCELERATING CHANGE WATER AND SANITATION” held on 22 March 2023 at the University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and organized by Kpk Irrigation Dept.

## **TRAINING WORKSHOP**

Participated and completed the “two days Statistical and Experimental Design in Analytical Sciences held on 03-04 April 2021 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Participated and completed the “three days Value Addition & Marketing of Potato, Apple, Plum and olive for Small Scale Enterprises development of Waziristan” held on 11-13 October 2022 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar.

Participated and completed the “two day Application of Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR)” held on 25-26 September 2021 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and organized by Dept. of Biotechnology.

Participated and completed the “three days Development of Major Fruits and Vegetable value Chains in Newly Merged Districts” held on 27-29 November 2021 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and organized by Dept. of Horticulture.

Participated and completed the “two days Digital/ Precision agriculture, Tissue Culture/ Industrial Bio technology, Hydroponics & Genomic Analysis” held on 02-03 December 2021 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and jointly organized by The University of Agriculture Peshawar and PMAS –Arid Agriculture University, Rawalpindi.

Participated and completed the “two days Indigenous Crop Improvement Programs: Away Forward for Ensuring Food Security and Poverty Alleviation” held on 15-16 March 2022 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Participated and completed the “two days Awareness and Control of Wild Onion (*Asphodelus tenuifolius*) in Chick Pea” held on 26-27 January 2023 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan and organized by Dept. of Weed Science and Botany and Pakistan Weed Science Society.

## **FIELD DAYS**

Participated and completed the “Field day on Assessment of Value Chain Actors in Processing and Marketing of Tomato” held on 22 May 2021 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Participated and completed the “field day on Practical Demonstration of Kubota Rice Transplanter” held on 27 July 2022 at The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

## MEMBERSHIPS

Member of “Clean, Green Pakistan Society” The University of Agriculture Peshawar, Pakistan.

Member of “HORT ICON Society” Department of Horticulture, AUP.

Volunteer “DA HAQ AWAZ: Anti-Drug, Social Welfare Organization” Peshawar.

Volunteer “ANTI NORCOTICS FORCE (KP) Society” The University of Agriculture Peshawar.

## PUBLICATIONS

- (1) Effect of Moringa Leaf Extract on the Performance of Lettuce Cultivars. 2023. **Ahmad, F.**, Khattak, A.M., Gul, G., Habib, W., Ahmad, S., Asghar, M. and Rashid, T. Journal of *Gesunde Pflanzen*, 75: 1449-1459.
- (2) Influence of growing conditions and salicylic acid on the flower and seed production of local dahlia. 2023. **Ahmad F.**, G. Ghani, A. Shahbaz, M. Asghar, R. Tufail, A. Manzoor, M. Masoom. Journal of Xi'an Shiyou University, Natural Science Edition. 19: 736-745

## REFERENCES

### 1. Prof. DR. Abdul Mateen Khattak

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