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SELECTED POSITIONS

Atlantic Council, Washington D.C.

Nonresident Senior Fellow, South Asia Center (January 2022 - Present)

Lahore University of Management Sciences, Lahore, Pakistan

Department Chair, Economics (August 2019 - July 2022)
Associate Professor of Economics (June 2020 - Present)
Assistant Professor of Economics (August 2010 - June 2020)

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ

Post-Doctoral Fellow, Woodrow Wilson School of Public & International Affairs.
September 2015 - August 2016

University of Oxford, Oxford, UK

Post-Doctoral Fellow, Global Economic Governance Programme.
September 2014 - August 2015

EDUCATION

George Mason University, Fairfax, VA

Ph.D., Economics, 2005-2010
Thesis Title: *Challenges for the Fourth Estate: Newspaper Journalism in the Light of Experimental Economics*

Lahore University of Management Sciences, Lahore, Pakistan

B.Sc., Economics and Mathematics, 2005

FIELDS

Political Economy of Development, Experimental Economics, Technology for Development

RESEARCH

Hasanain, A., Khan, Y., Rezaee, A. (2023). No bulls: crowdsourcing away asymmetric market information for small-scale farmers in Pakistan. *Journal of Development Economics* 161, 102999.

Callen, M., Gulzar, S., Hasanain, A., Khan, Y., Rezaee, A. (2023). The Political Economy of Public Sector Absence. *Journal of Public Economics* 218, 104787.

Blair, G., Weinstein, J. M., Christia, F., Arias, E., Badran, E., Blair, R. A., ... Wilke, A. M. (2021). Community policing does not build citizen trust in police or reduce crime in the Global South. *Science*, 374(6571), eabd3446.

Solís Arce, J. S., Warren, S. S., Meriggi, N. F., Scacco, A., McMurry, N., Voors, M., ... Omer, S. B. (2021). COVID-19 vaccine acceptance and hesitancy in low-and middle-income countries. *Nature Medicine*, 27.

Callen, M., Gulzar, S., Hasanain, A., Khan, Y., Rezaee, A. (2020). Data and policy decisions: Experimental evidence from Pakistan. *Journal of Development Economics*, 146, 102523.

Batrancea, L., Nichita, A., Olsen, J., Kogler, C., Kirchler, E., Hoelzl, E., ... Schaffner, M. (2019). Trust and power as determinants of tax compliance across 44 nations. *Journal of Economic Psychology*, 102191.

Bursztyjn, L., Callen, M., Ferman, B., Gulzar, S., Hasanain, A., Yuchtman, N. (2019). Political identity: Experimental evidence on anti-Americanism in Pakistan. *Journal of the European Economic Association*, 18(5), 2532-2560.

Callen, M., Gulzar, S., Hasanain, A., Khan, A. R., Khan, Y., Mehmood, M. Z. (2013). Improving Public Health Delivery in Punjab, Pakistan: Issues and Opportunities. *Lahore Journal of Economics*, 18(Special Edition), 249-269.

WORKS IN
PROGRESS

“Improving market information for small businesses and individual traders: The case of PakWheels” (with Shotaro Nakamura and Adeel Tariq)

“Official Attendance Data for Politically Connected Bureaucrats Are Less Accurate” (with Michael Callen, Saad Gulzar, and Yasir Khan)

“Using Automated Event Detection to Reduce Data Collection Costs with an Application to the BFRS Dataset.” (with Hina Usman and Fareed Zafar)

TEACHING

Lahore University of Management Sciences, Lahore, Pakistan

Managing Pakistan's Economy (Undergraduate).

Market Institutions (Undergraduate).

The Economics of Corruption (Undergraduate).

Law and Economics (Undergraduate)

Readings in the Political Economy of the Media (Undergraduate)

Experiments in Economics (Undergraduate; co-taught with Michael Callen)

Intermediate Microeconomics (Undergraduate)

Lahore School of Economics, Lahore, Pakistan

International Economics (Undergraduate)

George Mason University, Fairfax, VA

Law and Economics (Undergraduate)

HONORS AND
AWARDS

Evidence in Governance And Politics (EGAP), Member.

Oxford-Princeton Global Leaders Fellow, 2014-2016.

Mahbub ul Haq Research Center (MHRC), Senior Research Fellow

Economic Advisory Group (EAG), Executive Member

Technology for People Initiative (TPI), Faculty Advisor

Consortium for Development Policy (CDPR), Research Fellow.

Policy Research Institute of Market Economy (PRIME), Research Board Member.

Mercatus Center PhD Fellow, 2005 - 2008.

PROFESSIONAL
SERVICE

Referee: Journal of Public Economics; European Economic Review; British Journal of Political Science; Social Science and Policy Bulletin. ACM Conference on Computing Systems and Sustainable Societies

Pakistan Country Coordinator, South Asian Economics Students Meet

Organizer: 2015 GLF Annual Colloquium, Oxford University; 10th South Asian Economics Students Meet in Lahore, Pakistan.

POLICY

Member, Government of Punjab Resource Mobilization Committee (2021-23)

Speaker, Margalla Dialogue, Islamabad Policy Research Institute, Pakistan. (2022)

Speaker, National Management College, National School of Public Policy, Pakistan. (2020,2021)

Judge, Economy Module, National Security and War Course, National Defense University, Pakistan. (2019, 2020, 2021)

Trainer, Evidence-Based Program Design, Center for Economics Research in Pakistan (2019, 2020, 2021)

Director, LUMS-WB Pakistan At One Hundred collaboration, 2016-2019.

Consultant, Center for Global Development (CGD), 2017. *Leveraging identification for service delivery: the possibility of targeted subsidies in Pakistan.*

Consultant, Planning and Development Department, Government of Punjab and International Growth Center (IGC), 2014. *Strategic Plan for Punjab Agriculture Sector*

Member, Punjab Economic Advisory Committee, Planning and Development Department, Government of Punjab, 2014. Wrote the chapter *Improving Health* for the Punjab Growth Strategy 2018.

Delivered research note *Using ICT to improve public health delivery in Punjab, Issues and Opportunities* to the Punjab Health Sector Reforms Program.

South Asia Team Leader, Global Development Network (GDN) *Supporting Research to Inform Agricultural Policy Research in Sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia*, 2011-12.

Consultant, Punjab Model Citizen Feedback Model, Government of Punjab, 2010. Conducted third-party qualitative evaluation.