

## Dr. AFTAB AKRAM

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Nationality: Pakistani • Date of Birth: 03/16/1984  
Languages: English; Urdu, Punjabi and Hindi  
Interests: Cycling; Calligraphy, Painting, Travelling and Photography



### Courses Taught

TEFL	Speaking and Listening Skills	History of English Literature
Syllabus Design	Semantics and Pragmatics	Novel (18 <sup>th</sup> and 19 <sup>th</sup> Century)
Stylistics	History of English Language	Introduction to Literary Studies
Academic Writing	Psycholinguistics	Modern Poetry
Grammar and Syntax	Introduction to Teaching Methods	Translation Studies (M.Phil Course)
General Linguistics	Human Rights and Citizenship	World Englishes (M.Phil Course)

### Cambridge CELTA

<b>University of Cambridge, UK</b> Cambridge Certificate in English Language Teaching to Adults (CELTA) Teaching House New York	<b>New York, USA</b> Feb, 2019
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### Graduate Research International Fellowship Programs

<b>University of California, California</b> PhD Short-term Research Scholar, Major: Applied Linguistics	<b>Los Angeles, USA</b> June 2019
<b>University of North Texas, Texas</b> MPhil Graduate Research Fellowship Program, Major: Applied Linguistics	<b>Denton, USA</b> Feb, 2014

### Education

<b>National University of Modern Languages (NUML), Pakistan</b> Doctor of Philosophy (PhD English Linguistics), Major: English Linguistics	<b>Islamabad</b> Dec, 2022
<b>National University of Modern Languages, Pakistan</b> Master of Philosophy (MPhil English Linguistics), Applied Linguistics	<b>Islamabad</b> June, 2015
<b>National University of Modern Languages, Pakistan</b> Master of Arts (MA English Language, Literature and TEFL)	<b>Lahore</b> June, 2011
<b>University of the Punjab, Pakistan</b> Bachelor of Arts (BA English Language)	<b>Lahore</b> June, 2005

### Teacher Training Professional Degrees

<b>University of Education, Pakistan</b> Master of Education (MEd), Majors: ELT and Education	<b>Lahore</b> June, 2009
<b>University of Education, Pakistan</b> Bachelor of Education (BEd), Majors: ELT and Education	<b>Lahore</b> June, 2008

## Research Work

<b>PhD Thesis Title:</b> A Comparative Study of <i>Culture and Imperialism</i> and <i>Saqafat aur Samraj: A Question of Ideology and Meaning</i>
<b>MPhil Thesis Title:</b> An analysis of spelling learning styles of English language learners: A NUML survey study
<b>MEd Thesis Title:</b> Thesis: A study of the fundamental educational thoughts of Imam Ghazzali and their link to modern educational thoughts
<b>Research Article Title:</b> Ideology and Lexical Choices: An Analysis of the Urdu Translation of <i>Culture and Imperialism</i>

## IT Certificate

<b>University of the Punjab, Pakistan</b> Professional Training Certificate in Microsoft Office	<b>Lahore</b> June, 2010
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## Experience

<b>Teaching House, USA</b> <b>English Trainee</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Teaching pre- and upper-intermediate multilingual classes of 3-12 students in English</li><li>Tailoring lessons according to research and analysis of the University of Cambridge</li><li>Using and adapting materials from <u>American Inside Out</u>, <u>English File 2</u>, <u>Reward Resource Pack</u>, and <u>Learning Teaching</u></li></ul>	<b>New York</b> <b>Jan to Feb, 2019</b>
<b>National University of Modern Languages Pakistan</b> <b>Program Coordinator</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Planning and executing curricular and co-curricular activities</li><li>Managing teacher/student behavior issues and coordinating discipline plans</li><li>Encouraging teamwork to achieve the set objectives</li></ul>	<b>Islamabad</b> <b>Jan, 2021 to June 2022</b>
<b>National University of Modern Languages Pakistan</b> <b>English Lecturer</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Conducting lectures each day for undergraduate and graduate-level courses on a variety of topics related to English literature or language</li><li>Supervising the graduate and master-level students' research articles and theses</li><li>Setting question papers of Mid/End-term exams for BS and M.Phil programs</li></ul>	<b>Islamabad</b> <b>Feb, 2017 to date</b>
<b>Federal Government Educational Institutions, Pakistan</b> <b>Vice Principal</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Oversaw all aspects of daily school operations</li><li>Developing school improvement plan</li></ul>	<b>Rawalpindi</b> <b>May, 2014 –Jan, 2017</b>
<b>The Smart College Pakistan</b> <b>English Lecturer</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Planning and delivering English language lessons</li><li>Coordinating college trips to cultural institutions</li></ul>	<b>Gujrat</b> <b>Jan, 2012 to May, 2014</b>
<b>Al-Rehman Public School, Pakistan</b> <b>ELT Instructor</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Preparing innovative classroom games to reinforce concepts covered in textbooks</li><li>Providing appropriate level of language support to students</li></ul>	<b>Gujranwala</b> <b>June, 2006- Mar, 2009</b>