Brief Resume

Dr. Saima Naz



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Education

- **PhD in Chemistry (Analytical Chemistry)** University of Agriculture Faisalabad (2016) Thesis: "Downstream approaches for pure biofine chemicals and aroma substances from Cannabis sativa essential oil"
- MPhil in Chemistry (Analytical Chemistry) University of Agriculture Faisalabad (2011)
- MSc in Chemistry University of Agriculture Faisalabad (2008)

Research Interests

- Isolation and purification of bioactive compounds from medicinal plants.
- Synthesis of bio-nanomaterials and their photocatalytic applications.
- Advanced characterization techniques (GC-MS, HPLC, NMR, SEM, TEM).

Academic Positions

- Assistant Professor (TTS), University of Education, Faisalabad Campus (2022 Present).
- Assistant Professor (Visiting & IPFP), Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan (2016–2019).

Honors and Awards

- Best Presenter Award, International Conference on Research in Biological Sciences (2021).
- Indigenous PhD Fellowship (2012-2016), HEC Pakistan.
- SRGP Research Project Grant (2017-2018), HEC Pakistan.

- Principal Investigator: Isolation of bioactive compounds from Cannabis sativa (PhD Project, 2012-2016).
- Principal Investigator: Characterization of medicinal plant compounds (SRGP, 2017-2018).

Publications

- **34 research papers** in refereed journals, focusing on nanomaterials, plant-derived bioactives and environmental chemistry.
- **2 book chapters**, including contributions to "Nanotechnology for Medicine."

Editorial and Peer Review Roles

- Editorial Board Member: International Journal of Advances in Nutrition Science and Technology.
- Reviewer: Journal of Chemistry International, Water Science and Technology, and others.

Technical Skills

- Advanced chromatography (GC-MS, HPLC), spectroscopy (FTIR, UV-VIS), and microscopy techniques (SEM, TEM).
- Pilot-scale distillation and extraction techniques.

Professional Memberships

- Lifetime Member: International Scientific Organization (since 2013).
- Permanent Member: Chemical Society of Pakistan (since 2014).

Conferences and Workshops

• Presented at over **39 national and international conferences**, including keynotes on nanotechnology and biochemistry.

Thesis Supervision

• Supervising multiple PhD and MS students in analytical chemistry and nanotechnology research.