

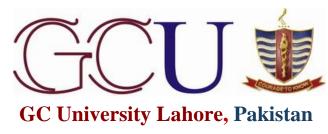
International Conference on Inter-Regional Connectivity: South Asia and Central Asia (9-10, November, 2016)

LIST OF NATIONAL SCHOLARS/ACADEMICIANS

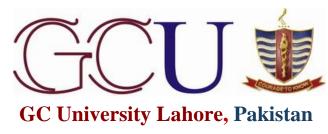
Sr. No	Scholar/Academician	Title	Designation/Institutional Affiliation
1.	Aasia Khatoon Khattak	China's One Belt One Road Initiative: Towards Mutual Peace & Development	PhD Scholar, International Relations & Political Science, International Islamic University Islamabad.
2.	Ahmad Ali Naqvi	Re-modeling Peace through Regional Economic Integration: A case of South Asia and Central Asia	Lecturer, Department of Political Science, Punjab University
3.	Ahmad Nazir Warraich	Geopolitics of Corridors: Building Economic and Political Linkages	Advocate, Lahore High Court
4.	Muhammad Ahsan Jamil	Theoretical Analysis of the Prospects of Inter-Regional Connectivity between South and Central Asia	Research Associate, Centre for Pakistan and Gulf Studies (CPGS), Islamabad.
5.	Aminah Gilani	Challenges to Regional security in South Asia: A New Paradigm	Department of Political Science Kinnaird College for Women Lahore, Pakistan



6.	Arfa Zia	Economic Dimension of CPEC with Liberalist perspective	M.Phil. Scholar, Lahore School of Management, University of Lahore .
7.	Asif Mehmood	Community, Land and Institutions in Energy Policy of Pakistan: Discourse Analysis of Karot Hydropower Project	Deputy Secretary at the Board of Revenue, Punjab
8.	Atia Ali Kazmi	Geopolitics of Corridors: Building Economic and Political Linkages	Senior Research & Policy Analyst at NUST Global Think Tank Network, Islamabad
9.	Dr. A. Z. Hilali	Radicalism: Challenge to South Asian Economic and Political Connectivity	Professor, Department of Political Science, Peshawar University
10.	Dr. Hafiz Zafar Ahmed & Samar Fatima	Recapitulation of Panama Canal and Suez Canal Facts - A Futuristic Vision for China- Pak Economic Corridor	Assistant Professor & Research Scholar, Hailey College of Commerce, Peshawar University
11.	Dr. Muhammad Ayaz Khan & Sajid Hussain	Pak-Cars; Trade And Economic Cooperation	Head Department of Political Science and Sociology, Hazara University, Mansehra. & PhD scholar Department of Political Science Hazara University Mansehra
12.	Dr. Mussarat Jabeen	Energy Cooperation between Central Asian States and Pakistan: Opportunities and Challenges	Associate Professor Department of International Relations & Political Science, University of Sargodha
13.	Dr. Mobeen Adnan and Ms. Bushra Fatima	Strategic and Economic Interests of Pakistan and India in Central Asia	Assistant Professor & MPhil Scholar, Department Political Science, Punjab University.
14.	Dr. Rashid Ahmad Khan	South Asia-Central Asia Connectivity and Regional Security: Challenges and Prospects of Cooperation	Former Professor and Chairman Department of Political Science University of the Punjab, Lahore.



15.	Dr. Raza Rahman Khan Qazi	Analyzing Factors And Conflicts Impeding Economic Integration Of Central And South Asias	Department of Political Science, Shaheed Benazir Bhutto Women University
16.	Dr. Shabir Ahmad Khan	Central Asia, South Asia and Western China: Open Regionalism	Associate Professor HEC Approved Supervisor Area Study Centre, (Russia, China & Central Asia), University of Peshawar.
17.	Faseeh	Central Asian and Indian Geoeconomic Ambitions	Hamdard University.
18.	Fatima Raza	One Belt, One Road Initiative: The Ultimate Model for Regional Connectivity	Researcher, Institute of Strategic Studies, Islamabad
19.	Hashmat Ullah Khan & Faarina Ayaz	China Afghanistan Relations after 9/11 and it's Prospects for Peace Building in Afghanistan	M.Phil & MA Scholars, Department of Political Science Hazara University Mansehra
20.	Inam Ullah	The China-Pakistan Economic Corridor in the Perspective of Expectations and Development	Lecturer in Political Science, Shaheed B.B University Sheringal, District Dir Upper
21.	Air Commodore(R) Khalid Iqbal	Extent and limit of South Asia-Central Asia Connectivity: The Political Perspective	Institute of Policy Studies, Islamabad.
22.	Khushboo Ejaz & Maham Ejaz	Potential of Chahbahar and Gwadar Port as Gateway to Interregional Connectivity	Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science Kinnaird College for Women, Lahore
23.	Maria Khalid	South Asia Central Asia Connectivity and the World	Kinnaird College for Women, Lahore
24.	Maria Qadoos	Threats and opportunities for Inter-regional Connectivity between South Asia and Central Asia	Ph. D. Scholar, Institute of Communication Studies, University of the Punjab, Lahore



25.	Maryam Ahmad	Viability of TAPI for Energy Security of Pakistan: An Analytical Study	Lecturer Department of Management Sciences Virtual University of Pakistan
26.	Maryam Azam	Securitization Of Inter-Regional Connectivity: Challenges And Options For Pakistan-China Relationship In South And Central Asia	Assistant Professor Department of Political Science/International Relations and Pak. Studies Lahore College for Women University, LCWU, Lahore
27.	Masood Khattak	Terrorism in Afghanistan a Nuisance for Inter-regional Connectivity between South and Central Asia	IIUI, Islamabad
28.	Moazzam Ali Tarar	Regional Economic Integration in South Asia- Central Asia by Establishing a Free Trade Area	Allama Iqbal Open University, Islamabad
29.	Ms. Sabah Mushtaq	Regional Economic Integration in South and Central Asia: An Analysis	Research Scholar Department of History Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad
30.	Ms. Sadia Mehmood Falki & Ms. Dure Shahwar Bano	India-Pakistan Strategic Provisions: Emerging Energy-Security Rivalry in Central Asia	Assistant Professor, Department of International Relations, Lahore College for Women University, Lahore & M.Phil Scholar, Department of Political Science, Government College University, Lahore
31.	Muhammad Abdul Kamal	Comparative Advantage and Competitiveness of Pakistan's Export in Central Asia: A Comparison with Selected Asian Countries	Assistant Professor, Abdul Wali Khan University, Mardan.
32.	Muhammad Manzoor Elahi	Geopolitics of Energy Security: South Asia's Peripheral Options	Lecturer Department of Political Science, GCU Lahore.



33.	Muhammad Azhar	South Asia-Central Asia Inter-Regional Connectivity: The Future Perspective	Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Islamia University Bahawalpur
34.	Muhammad Jahanzeb Akmal	Prospects of Counter-Terrorism Regime between South Asia and Central Asia: Challenges and Possibilities. Determinants of South Asia and Central Asia's Regional Connectivity	Lecturer Department of International Relations The Islamia University of Bahawalpur
35.	Muhammad Ramzan	Role of Shanghai Cooperation Organization in Regional Connectivity	PhD Scholar Department of Politics and International Relations International Islamic University, Islamabad
36.	Muhammad Usman A Siddiqi	Afghanistan: A Linchpin in Inter-regional Connectivity	Lecturer Department of Political Science, GCU Lahore.
37.	Nabeela Akbar	'Glocalization of Politics' in South Asia and Central Asia 2012- 2016	PhD Scholar Punjab University
38.	Prof. Dr. Chandio Sindh	Central and South Asia energy corridors: prospects for Pakistan.	Director "Rozey Dhani Chair" Shah Abdul Latif University Khairpur Mirs, Sindh, Pakistan
39.	Prof. Dr. Sarfraz Khan	South Asia's Energy Security and Hydrocarbon in Central Asia	Director, Area Study Centre (Russia, China & Central Asia), Peshawar University
40.	Dr. Syed Qandil Abbas Ms. Aqeela Asif	Inter-Regional Connectivity in South Asia and Central Asia: Security Challenges and Way Forward	Assistant Professor, School of Politics and International Relations, Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad. syed572@hotmail.com Assistant Professor, Department of Humanities, COMSATS Institute of Information Technology Islamabad.



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41.	Raja Qaiser Ahmed	"Strategic Quadrant in South Asia: A Structural Analysis of Indo-US and Sino-Pakistan Strategic Partnerships"	Lecturer, School of Politics & IR, Quaid I Azam University Islamabad.
42.	Raza Aftab Gillani & Moavviz Siddiq Nizami	Not important enough: Exploring the status of stranded Pakistanis in Bangladesh in the context of bilateral foreign policy	Student BA Hons. Government College University Lahore
43.	Rizwan Sharif	Shanghai Cooperation Organization - An Appraisal Of Its Horizontal Expansion	Faculty Member, Department of Defence & Diplomatic Studies, Fatima Jinnah Women University, Rawalpindi
44.	Dr. Saeed Shafqat	China's Rise: How is it Impacting, Iran, Pakistan and India?	Professor and Director Centre for Public Policy and Governance, Forman Christian College Lahore.
45.	Sadia Rafique	Iran's Outreach in Central Asia: Priorities, Policies and Actions	Lecturer, PhD Scholar. Department of Political Science. G C University Lahore
46.	Saadia Saif Niazi	The New Silk Roads (NSR) Diplomacy: Myth or Reality?	Lecturer, Department of International Relations, Faculty of Social Sciences, National University of Modern Languages (NUML) Islamabad
47.	Shireen Mushtaq	Geostrategic significance of Afghanistan beyond a transit state: Challenges and Prospects of regional connectivity of Central Asia and South Asia	Lecturer, International Relations Department. Kinnaird College for Women, Lahore.
48.	Sundas Khizar	Militancy as hurdle between Central Asia and Pakistan Economic Ties	MPhil Scholar, University of Sargodha



49.	Sajid Hussain, Dr. Muhammad Ayaz Khan	Conflict of Interests of Regional Players at Grader Port	PhD Scholar, Department of Political Science, Hazara University, Mansehra & Head of Department of Political Science, Hazara University, Mansehra
50.	Salman Ali and Jamshed Khan	Inter- Regional Connectivity: Shanghai Cooperation Organization and Role of Pakistan"	Lecturer, Akram Khan Durrani College Bannu and Ph.D. student Quaid-i-Azam University, Islamabad.
51.	M. Suleman Shahid	Countering Violent Extremism in Central and South Asia: Prospects for Inter-regional Cooperation	Centre for Pakistan and Gulf Studies (CPGS), Islamabad
52.	Saud Bin Ahsen	Is Regionalism Replacing Globalism?	Master of Public Administration (MPA), Institute of Administrative Sciences (IAS), University of the Punjab, Lahore
53.	Saud Bin Ahsen	Pakistan has the Potential to be a Transit Trade Corridor. Can the Trade Institutions and Infrastructure Support It?	Institute of Administrative Sciences (IAS), University of the Punjab, Lahore.
54.	Shafiq Qurban	Infrastructural Development and Pakistan's Relation with Central Asia: A Case Study of Gwadar Port	Shafique Qurban, PhD Scholar, Political Science, IIUI, Islambad
55.	Sobia Hanif	India's Emerging Interests in Central Asia: Challenges and Prospects	Lecturer, Department of Defence and Diplomatic Studies, Fatima Jinnah Women University, Rawalpindi
56.	Syed Abdul Hassan Naqvi	Pakistan's Strategic And Economic Interests In Central Asia: Making Its Way And Containing Indian Interests.	N/A
57.	Mohammad Talha	Pakistan's role in the power politics of Asia: Current trends and Future Scenarios	Karachi University



58.	Unsa Jamshed	Role of Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) to Maintain Peace and Security in the Region	Pakistan Study Centre, University of the Punjab, Lahore
59.	Zahra Zafar	Energy security of South Asia vis a vis Central Asia	Lecturer Department of International Relations The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Pakistan.
60.	Prof. Dr. Zahid Ali Khan	Importance of China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) for Iran, Afghanistan, & Central Asia In the Perspective of Regional Trade Connectivity: India's Concern & Policy Option	Khan Abdul Wali Khan Universiy, Mardan, KPK
61.	Zainab Ahmed	Energy Cooperation: A long term framework of inter-regional cooperation between Central Asia and South Asia	Department of Political Science University of the Punjab, Lahore

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