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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- 2007-1971- 2011** Deputy Editor , the Daily Pakistan Observer
Commercial translator.
- 2000-1993-** Pakistan-based correspondent of Arabic Daily, Al-Watan.
Diplomatic correspondent, editorial writer, feature writer, columnist and reporter for the oldest English daily from Islamabad, Pakistan Observer.
- 1979-1993** Professor of Linguistic, Allama Iqbal University, Islamabad.
- 1989-1993** Editorial writer, feature writer, columnist and reporter for English daily, The Frontier Post, Peshawar.
- 1972-1989** Official translator of the Government of Pakistan. Translated over 100 books from English to Arabic and hundreds of articles, speeches of Presidents and Prime Ministers of Pakistan including translation of three books written by Z.A Bhutto.
- Others**
1. 1964-1971: Writing short stories in various literary Iraqi newspapers.
 2. Freelance columnist and feature writer in major English dailies including Pakistan Times, Dawn, The News, The Nation, The Financial Post, Business Recorder, Pulse weekly, Herald weekly, Mag weekly, The Voice monthly, Newstrack monthly. Urdu features published in Daily Pakistan, Jang and Nawa-e-Waqt.
 3. Official Correspondent of Radio Sultanate of Oman, April 2003 to 2004.
 4. Stinger for Arabic weekly al-Majallah, al- Alam, al-Bayan of UAE, and Paris-based Arabic weekly al-Mustaqbal, and El-Khaber, independent daily of Algeria.
 5. 1996 to date, expert on South Asia in major Arab electronic media including mbc(London) al-Jazirah(Qatar), Oman television, Dubai television, Abu Dhabi television, Voice of America(Arabic section) BBC(Arabic section), Radio Monte Carlo of Paris(Arabic section), Algerian Radio and Television, LBC TV, Syrian TV, Egyptian TV and radio, Al-Arabiah TV and Radio, Kuwait TV and radio, Bahrain TV, Russian Today TV, .France 24 TV, Jordanian TV and radio.

EDUCATION:

- 1988** Ph.D, Linguistic Theory of English Arabic Translation, Punjab University, Lahore
- 1973** MSc. Physical Chemistry, Quaid-e-Azam University, Islamabad.
- 1971** BSc. Chemistry, Basra University, Iraq.

FOREIGN VISITS:

Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Kuwait, United Arab Emirates, Iraq, Syria, Jordan, Sudan, Morocco, Algeria, China, Germany, Australia, Turkey, Cyprus.