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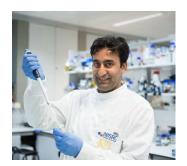
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Innovative and Passionate Food Scientist/Teacher with Excellent Team Working Skills

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

My passion is to engross myself in research, academia and to provide high quality educational opportunities to youth of my country at an international standard. Determined to Direct, Manage, and Coordinate the activities of the University in order to ensure that the policies, programs, goals and objectives of the University in compliance with the University governance requirements, and any regulations, rules, laws, codes, standards applicable to higher institutions of learning. Furthermore, use of my technical expertise learned from reputed international organizations to make a difference by innovative ideas and hard work inthe field of food sciences.

RESEARCH SKILLS & ABILITIES

Food Analyses (Cereal Quality)

Food Quality Analyses(SRC tests, SDS-sedimentations etc.), Protein polymers determination by SE-HPLC, ICP- Mass Spectrophotometery, Confocal and light microscopy, Dough mixograph analysis, Normal phase HPLC for tocols and carotenoids, sensory quality, Breadmaking.

▶ Food Biotechnology

DNA extraction, cloning, PCR, Western Blotting, SDS Poly Acrylamide Gel Electrophoresis, Gel quantifications, Development of different extraction methods etc.

> Field Expertise

Designing field experiments, Organic farming systems research, Environmental Risk Assesment, Food industry collaborations for product development.

- Experience in starting new programs in food sciences and in organizational designing/restructuring; strong appreciation of emerging global trends in higher education.
- Innovative in research and development and allow integration of Food Chemistry/Medicinal Chemistry with other disciplines of life sciences (e.g. Molecular Biology and Biotechnology).
- Over 12 years of research and teaching experience in the university. An amicable and enthusiastic Food Chemistry Teacher with the ability to motivate students to work at optimal levels while maintaining a comfortable, creative environment, and keeping clear perspective of goals to be accomplished in research.
- The ability to represent the University effectively in its dealings with Government, International agencies and other external stakeholders, a track record of success in fund raising.

Ability to take a long-term and strategic view and entertain a wide range of possibilities in developing and implementing strategic plans.

QUALIFICATIONS

Degree	- Institute	Session	Div.
President International Fellow	Institute of Genetics and Developmental Biology, CAS, Beijing, China	2017	-
Rothamsted International Fellow	Rothamsted International, Hertforshire, UK	2016	-
Post-PhD	Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU), Sweden	2012	-
PhD	Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU), Sweden	2012	-
M.Sc. (Hons.)	University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, PAK	2007	1 st
B.Sc. (Hons.)	University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, PAK	2005	1 st
F.Sc.	Govt.S.E college Bahawalpur PAK	2001	1 st
Matriculation	Yazman Public School Yazman. PAK	1998	1 st

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

01/23-to-date

Head, Department of Biosciences at COMSATS UniversityIslamabad, Sahiwal Campus Pakistan.

01/20-to-date

Associate Professor, Department of Biosciences at COMSATS University Islamabad, Sahiwal Campus Pakistan.

11/12-to-1/20

Assistant Professor, Department of Biosciences at COMSATS University Islamabad, Sahiwal Campus Pakistan.

08/17-to-08/18

President International Fellow, State Key Laboratory of Plant Cell and Chromosome Engineering, Institute of Genetics and Developmental Biology, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China. Investigating the fundamental molecular mechanisms underlying the bread quality of wheat flour using series of well define deletion mutants.

07/16-to-08/17

Rothamsted International Fellow, Rothamsted International UK. Developing small scale methods to assess the bread-making quality of wheat flours. Determination of protein quality at low nitrogen fertilizer input.

08/17-to-date

TWAS-UNESCO Associateship, International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas (ICARDA), Rabat, Morocco. Evaluating wheat lines developed at ICARDA for mixing behavior and bread-making quality.

05/15-to-10/15

Incharge, Department of Biosciences at COMSATS Institute of Information Technology, Sahiwal Pakistan.

10/07-04/12

PhD thesis: Quality of organically produced wheat from diverse origin . Research experience in cereal quality laboratory SLU, Alnarp for four years and field experiment for screening a total of 860 wheat genotypes from Nordic Gene Bank for organic farming.

04/12 - 08/12

Post-PhD Research Assocaite in Department of Agrosytems, SLU, Sweden worked on developing carotenoid extraction method from wheat grains.

06/10-05/11

Teaching Assistant in Master course "Agroecology at SLU Alnarp, Sweden."

Teaching Assistant in PhD course "Intoductory course for PhD students at SLU, Alnarp, Sweden"

01/07-10/07

Research Assistant under ALP project at: Agronomic Research Station, Ayub Agricultural Research Institute, Faisalabad, Pakistan.

09/05 - 06/07

MSc thesis: Effect of weed competition periods on the growth and yield of black seed (*Nigella sativa* L.)

02/05 - 07/05

Internee: Agronomic Research Station Bahawalpur and Soil and Water Testing Lab, RARI Bahawalpur, Pakistan. Preparation of layouts for experiments, Farm management, Data processing & Analysis, Testing and analysis of water, soil and fertilizers.

INTERNATIONAL COURSES

Course Title	Year	Country	Course Title	Year	Country
Research design for PhD-students	2007	Sweden	Popular science writing	2009	Sweden
Rhetoric for PhD students	2007-08	Sweden	Philosophy of science	2010	Sweden
Information retrieval for PhD-students	2007	Sweden	Treatment of data course	2009	Sweden
Nordic course in crop production	2010	Denmark	Plant protection biology	2008	Sweden
Ethics in science	2008	Sweden	Methodologies for the determination of tocol	2009	Denmark
Microscopy in plant biology	2008	Sweden	Organic Food and Framing Systems: Possible roles in mitigating and adapting to climate change	2011	Denmark
Introductory course for PhD students	2008	Sweden	Genomic technologies in clinical diagonistics: NGS	2017	UK
How to write and publish scientific paper	2009	Sweden	Nutrition and well being	2017	UK
Research Methodologies in organic food and farming research	2009	Sweden	The Science of nutrition	2017	UK
Bioinformatics 101	2016	UK	Innovation: The food industry	2017	UK
Geneious training course	2017	UK	Starting a business: Vision and opportunity	2017	UK
Introduction to Galaxy for NGS data processing	2017	UK	Introduction to Phylogenetics	2017	UK
Microsoft certificate courses: word,excel,power pointetc	2017	UK	Planning and analysing your RNA-seq	2017	UK

INTERNATIONAL & NATIONAL PROJECTS

- 1. Use of HMW-GS deletion mutants to understand functionality of wheat flour. Abrar Hussain NRPU Project 2018. Project No. 8690.
- Investigation of the fundamental molecular mechanisms underlying the control of dough functionality and wheat quality by high molecular weight glutenins subunits in wheat. Abrar Hussain and Daowen Wang 2017. Funded by Chinese Academy of Sciences. CAS Project No. 2017PB0044.
- 3. Determination of wheat grain quality at low protein content. Abrar Hussain and Peter Shewry 2016. Funded by Rothamsted Research UK grant No.0080.
- 4. Protein polymerization and micro-nutrients in whole meal flour. Abrar Hussain 2014. HEC 0.5 M Funded project.
- 5. Sequencing and mapping of mycobacterium tuberculosis from the patients in Pakistan by using next generation sequencing. Abrar Hussain (Collaborator). HEC Awarded project worth 5.5 Million under NRPU.
- RNA-Seq-based transcriptome analysis of antibiotic resistance and virulence mechanism of Campylobacter jejunai a serious foodborne illness in South Punjab, Pakistan 2017. Abrar Hussain (Co-PI). HEC Awarded project worth 4 Million under NRPU.
- Protein composition effect on mixing behaviour of different wheat genotypes developed at ICARDA: Identification of the best gluten protein combinations for the main wheat derived products consumed in CWANA region. Abrar Hussain 2017. TWAS No. 3240295900
- 8. Biochemical composition and anti-enzymatic activity of essential oils from indigenous medicinal plants. 0.5 M HEC Funded .Abrar Hussain (Co-PI)
- 9. Appraisal of Youngsters acquaintance to some organochlorine and pyrethroid pesticide residues through milk collected from Sahiwal market. 0.5M HEC Funded, Abrar Hussain (Co-PI)
- 10. Studies on Prevalence and Mutational screening of Peroneal muscular atrophy (PMA) in families of Sahiwal division. 0.5M HEC Funded, Abrar Hussain (Co-PI)
- 11. Role of Un-Extactable Polymeric Proteins on Edn-Use Quality of Pakistan Wheat Flour. Abrar Hussain 2016. NRPU Project 5 Million (Minor revisions submitted).
- 12. Use of HMW-GS deletion mutants to understand functionality of Wheat flour. Abrar Hussain 2017. NRPU Project 9.5 Million (submitted). Application No. HEC/R&D/NRPU/2017/8690.
- 13. Improving post-harvest value of dates through implementing advance technology for small level farmers. Abrar Hussain (PI). (5 Million) Submitted to AIP program PARC.

- 14. Wheat Yield and Quality Improvement (WYQI) in the Punjab, Pakistan. Abrar Hussain (Co-PI). 5M Pounds. Submitted to Agri-Tech Funding UK.
- 15. Antioxidants in organically produced wheat in collaboration with Eva Johansson, SLU, Sweden. (2 M SEK).
- 16. Ozonation, a non-chemical insect pest management technology in stored wheat (5 Million). Abrar Hussain (PI). Submitted to AIP program PARC.

CO-CURRICULAR CERTIFICATES

- Basic Unit Leader Course
- Four years in Agrivarsity Scouts Group, UAF, Pakistan.
- Participation in many department functions.
- Management of CampFires.
- Admission Duties.
- First Aid Course.
- Civil Defence Course
- PhD council representative in Internationalization Board, SLU, Alnarp, Sweden.
- Member ASK PhD council Sweden from November 2007 to January 2012.

The membership of the above-mentioned bodies provided a way to catharsis and I was able toexpress my inherent talent, creativity and capabilities.

SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

2007-To date: Food Society, SLU, Alnarp, Sweden.

2007-To date: Sensory Research School, SLU, Alnarp, Sweden.
 2009 - To date: Nordic association of agricultural scientists (NJF)
 2010 - To date: International Society of organic agriculture research

AWARDS/DISTINCTIONS

- Rothamsted International Fellowship award 2016-17 to work at Rothamsted Research, United Kingdom (UK).
- President International Fellowship (PIFI) at State Key Laboratory of Plant Cell and Chromosome Engineering, Institute of Genetics and Developmental biology by Chinese Academy of Sciences.
- TWAS-UNESCO Associateship at International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas (ICARDA) funded by TWAS.
- **↓** COMSATS Research Productivity Award 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017
- PhD Overseas scholarship for PhD studies in SLU, Sweden by HEC, Pakistan
- Award of honorarium and appreciation on extra ordinary performance in research and academia by COMSATS 2013, 2014, 2015.
- MS Scholarship for studies in China under Cultural Exchange Program 2006. (Declined).

- PhD Scholarship for studies in China under Cultural Exchange Program 2007. (Declined).
- **Travel** grant from SLU, Sweden to attend conferences.
- Receive appreciation letter from UAF administration for performing admission duties.
- HEC approved supervisor by Higher Education Commission Pakistan.
- 4 Appreciation letter and shield from Shaukat Khanum Memorial Hospital administration for holding cancer awareness seminars.
- 4 Appreciation letter and shield from Ali Zeb Foundation administration for holding Thallesemia Awareness and blood camps.
- \$\\\\$\\$ Study travel grant from SLU Sweden for visiting food science laboratory at BOKU, Austria.
- 4 Appreciation letter from SUNDAS Foundation administration for holding Hemophiliac diseased.

SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS

- 1. Shewry, P.R., Wood, A.J., Hassall, K.L., Pellny, T.K., Riche, A., **Hussain, A.,** Shi, Z., Mosleth, E.F., Charlton, M., Poole, M., Jones, S., Newton, K., Penson, S., Tucker, G., Griffiths, S. and Hawkesford, M.J. (2023), Identification of traits underpinning good breadmaking performance of wheat grown with reduced nitrogen fertilisation. J Sci Food Agric, 103: 7664-7672.
- 2. Mehmood, Asim, Peter M. Dracatos, Linta Maqsood, Qudsia Yousafi, **Abrar Hussain**, Muhammad J. Jaskani, Muhammad W. Sajid, Muhammad S. Haider, and Muhammad M. Hussain. 2023. "Genetic Variability and Population Structure of Pakistani Potato Genotypes Using Retrotransposon-Based Markers" Agriculture 13, no. 1: 185.
- 3. Sarwar, N., Mubeen, K., Farooq, O., Wasaya, A., Yasir, T.A., Shahzad, M., Javed, M., **Hussain, A.,** Awan, M.I., Dawood, M. and Ahmad, S., 2023. Impact of Heat Stress on Cereal Crops and Its Mitigation Strategies. In Disaster Risk Reduction in Agriculture (pp. 191-210). Singapore: Springer Nature Singapore.
- 4. Shafaq, S., **Hussain, A**. (2022). Rice Nutritional Aspects. In: Sarwar, N., Atique-ur-Rehman, Ahmad, S., Hasanuzzaman, M. (eds) Modern Techniques of Rice Crop Production . Springer, Singapore. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-16-4955-4 35.
- 5. Yousafi, Q., Bibi, S., Saleem, S., **Hussain, A.**, Hasan, M.M., Tufail, M., Qandeel, A., Khan, M.S., Mazhar, S., Yousaf, M., Moustafa, M., Al-Shehri, M., Khalid, M., Kabra, A., 2022. Identification of Novel and Safe Fungicidal Molecules against <i>Fusarium oxysporum</i>from Plant Essential Oils: In Vitro and Computational Approaches. BioMed Research International 2022, 5347224.
- 6. Qudsia Yousafi, Muhammad Sohail Shahzad, Shahzad Saleem, Muhammad Wasim Sajid, **Abrar Hussain,** Asim Mehmood, Allah Ditta Abid, Amina Qandeel, Anum Shahid,

- Muhammad Saad Khan, Sania Mazhar, Ahmed Ezzat Ahmed, Khalid M. Al Syaad, Terpinen-4-ol from Trachyspermum ammi is a potential and safer candidate molecule for fungicide development against Alternaria solani, Journal of King Saud University Science, Volume 34, Issue 1, 2022, 101747, ISSN 1018-3647.
- Ellen F. Mosleth, Marie Lillehammer, Till K Pellny, Abigail J. Wood, Andrew B. Riche, Abrar Hussain, Simon Griffiths, Malcolm J. Hawkesford, Peter R. Shewry. 2020. Genetic variation and heritability of grain protein deviation in European wheat genotypes. Field Crops Research (255) 107896.
- 8. **Hussain A,** Larsson H, Johansson E 2021. Carotenoid extraction from locally and organically produced cereals using saponification method. *Processes 9, no. 5: 783.* https://doi.org/10.3390/pr9050783
- 9. Qudsia Yousaf, Jannat Batool, Muhammad Saad Khan, Tamsila Perveen, Wasim Sajid, **Abrar Hussain**, Asim Mehmood, Shahzad Saleem. 2020. In Silico Evaluation of Food Derived Bioactive Peptides as Inhibitors of Angiotensin Converting Enzyme (ACE). *Int J Pept Res Ther* (2020). https://doi.org/10.1007/s10989-020-10090-y.
- 10. Qudsia Yousafi, Maria Azhar, Muhammad Saad Khan, Asim Mehmood, Shahzad Saleem, Muhammad Wasim Sajid, Abrar Hussain, Mohammad Amjad. 2020. Kamal. Interaction of human dynein light chain 1 (DYNLL1) with enterochelin esterase (Salmonella typhimurium) and protective antigen (Bacillus anthraci) might be the potential cause of human infection. Saudi Journal of Biological Sciences 27 (2020) 1396–1402.
- 11. Asim Mehmood, Umal Baneen, Ahmad Zaheer, Muhammad Wasim Sajid, **Abrar Hussain** et al. 2019. Physical and chemical mutagens improved Sporotrichum thermophile, strain ST20 for enhanced Phytase activity. Saudi Journal of Biological Sciences 26 (2019) 1485–1491.
- 12. Sajjad Karim, Imran Riaz Malik, Quratulain Nazeer, Ahmad Zaheer, Muhammad Farooq, Nasir Mahmood, Arif Malik, Muhammad Asif, Asim Mehmood, Abdul Rehman Khan, Abdul Jabbar, Muhammad Arshad, Qudsia yousafi, **Abrar Hussain**, Zeenat Mirza, Muhammad Atif Iqbal, Mahmood Rasool, 2019. Molecular analysis of V617F mutation in Janus kinase 2 gene of breast cancer patients. Saudi Journal of Biological Sciences 26(2019) 1123–1128.
- 13. Yar AM, Zaman G, Hussain A, Changhui Y, Rasul A, **Hussain A**, Bo Z, Bokhari H, Ibrahim M. 2018. Comparative Genome Analysis of 2 Mycobacterium Tuberculosis Strains from Pakistan: Insights Globally Into Drug Resistance, Virulence, and Niche Adaptation. Evolutionary Bioinformatics. 14-1-9.
- 14. Muhammad Rizwan Bashir, Muhammad Atiq, Muhammad Sajid, **Abrar Hussain**, Hafiz Saeed ur Rehman and Azhar Mehmood, 2018. Impact of organic matter and soil types on the development of fusarium wilt of chilli. Pak. J. Agri. Sci., Vol. 55(4), 749-753
- 15. Daowen Wang, Kunpu Zhang, Lingli Dong, Zhenying Dong, Yiwen Li, **Abrar Hussain**, Huijie Zhai. 2022. Molecular genetic and genomic analysis of wheat milling and end-use traits in China: Progress and perspectives. The Crop Journal 6 (2018) 68 8 1.
- 16. Zobia Akram, Athar Mehmood, Sumaira Kanwal, Sahrish Zulfiqar, Naeem Sarwar,

- Muhammad Ibrahim, **Abrar Hussain***. 2022. An Insight into the Protein Polymerization of Commercial Wheat Varieties from Pakistan. Cereal Chemistry (Accepted).
- 17. **Abrar Hussain,** Till K Pellny, Abigail J Wood, Zhiqiang Shi, Yongfang Wan, Andrew Riche, Clothilde Baker, Simon Griffiths, Simon Penson, Malcolm J Hawkesford and PeterR Shewry. 2022. Using Solvent Retention Capacity for the Prediction of Protein Polymersin Wheat Flour. (Accepted in Cereal Science).
- 18. **Abrar Hussain,** Kunpu Zhang, Daowen Wang, 2022. Use of novel mutants lacking in Glu-1 and Glu-3 for prediction of end use quality of wheat. (Submitted to Theoretical and Applied Genetics).
- 19. Zhu Boa, Wang Saia, Li Oua, Annam Hussain, **Abrar Hussain**, Shen Jiand, Muhammad Ibrahim. 2017. High-quality genome sequence of human pathogen Enterobacter asburiae type strain 1497-78^T. Journal of Global Antimicrobial Resistance 8 (2017) 104–105.
- 20. **Abrar Hussain**, Hans Larsson, Ramune Kuktaite, Marie E. Olsson and Eva Johansson. 2015. Carotenoid Content in Organically Produced Wheat: Relevance for Human Nutritional Health on Consumption. *Int. J. Environ. Res. Public Health*, *12*, 14068-14083.
- 21. Sumaira Kanwal, Shazia Mannan, Abrar Hussain, Shazia Perveen (2016). Regression in polio eradication in Pakistan: A national Tragedy. Journal of the Pakistan Medical Association. 66(3):328-33.
- 22. Hakoomat Ali, Naeem Sarwar, Zuhair Hasnain, Shakeel Ahmad and Abrar Hussain. 2016. Zinc Fertilization Under Optimum Soil Moisture Condition Improved the Aromatic Rice Productivity. Philippine Journal of Crop Science (PJCS) August 2016, 41 (2):1-11.
- 23. Liaqat Ali, Muhammad Waqar Hassan, Moazzam Jamil, Javaid Iqbal, Muhammad SarwarYaqub, Muhammad Akram, Imtiaz Ahmed and **Abrar Hussain** 2016. Effect ofnursery bulb size and planting density on thrips population, plant height and yield of onion (Phulkara variety) in Bahawalpur, Pak. j. life soc. Sci. (2016), 14(2): 96-103.
- 24. Athar Mahmood, **Abrar Hussain**, Ahmed Naeem Shahzad and Bernd Honermeier, 2015. Biomass and biogas yielding potential of sorghum as affected by planting density, sowing time and cultivar. Pakistan Journal of Botany, **47**(6): 2401-2408
- 25. Shazia Perveen, Shazia Mannan, **Abrar Hussain**, Sumaira Kanwal.2015. Charcot-Marie-Tooth type 1A disease from patient to laboratory. Journal of the Pakistan Medical Association. 65(2):206-212.
- 26. Eva Johansson, Abrar Hussain, Ramune Kuktaite, Staffan C. Andersson and Marie E. Olsson. 2014. Contribution of Organically Grown Crops to Human Health. Int. J. Environ. Res. Public Health. 11, 3870-3893
- 27. **Abrar Hussain,** Hans Larsson, Ramune Kuktaite, Maria Luisa Prieto-Linde, Eva Johansson (2013). Amount and size distribution of monomeric and polymeric proteins in the grain of organically produced wheat: Influence of genotype and location. *Cereal Chemistry* 90 (1), 80-86.
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- M. Gällstedt, R. Kuktaite (2013). Gluten protein structures: Relationships with functionality in various applications. *Cereal Chemistry* 90 (4), 367-376.
- 29. **Abrar Hussain,** Hans Larsson, Marie E. Olsson, Ramune Kuktaite, Heinrich Grausgruber, Eva Johansson (2012). Is organically produced wheat a source of tocopherols and tocotrienols for health food? *Food Chemistry* 132, 1789–1795.
- 30. **Abrar Hussain,** Hans Larsson, Ramune Kuktaite, Maria Luisa Prieto-Linde, Eva Johansson (2012). Towards the understanding of bread-making quality in organically grown wheat: Mixing behavior, protein polymerization and structural properties. *Cereal Science* 56: 659-666
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- 32. **Abrar Hussain,** Hans Larsson, Ramune Kuktaite, Eva Johansson (2012). Concentration of some heavy metals in organically grown primitive, old and modern wheat genotypes: Implications for human health. *Journal of Environmental Science and Health, part B,* 47 (7), 751-758.
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- 35. **Abrar Hussain,** Hans Larsson, Ramune Kuktaite, Maria Luisa Prieto-Linde, Eva Johansson (2009). Protein content and composition in organically grown wheat: Influenceof genotype. *Journal of Agronomy Research*, 7 (2); 599-605.
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- 37. **Abrar Hussain.** (2012). *Quality of organically produced wheat from diverse origin*. Diss. (sammanfattning/summary) Alnarp, Sweden: Sveriges lantbruksuniv., Acta Universitatis agriculturae Sueciae, 1652-6880; 2012:18, ISBN 978-91-576-7654-2.
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- 40. Zubaria Ishaq, Nazish Ishaq, Imran Ishaq, **Dr. Abrar Hussain** and Dr. Muhammad Wasim Sajid. 2017. Screening of Organochlorine Pesticide Residues in Milk Collected from Sahiwal region. International Journal of Scientific & Engineering Research 8 (2) 955-968.
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- 45. **Abrar Hussain,** Larsson H., Kuktaite R., Prieto-Linde M.L., Johansson E. 2009. Protein contents and composition in organically grown wheat: Influences of genotype. Fostering healthy food systems through organic agriculture-Focus on Nordic-Baltic region. International scientific conference, Tartu, Estonia. 25-27 August.
- 46. **Abrar Hussain,**Prieto-Linde M.L., Kuktaite R., Larsson H., Johansson E. 2009. Variation in mineral and protein contents among genotypes of organically grown wheat. Organic agriculture, Denmark, April 2009.
- 47. **Abrar Hussain,** Johansson E. 2008. Antioxidants and proteins in organically grown wheat. Research methodologies in organic foods and farming research. Lyngby, Danmark, 2-7 November.
- 48. **Abrar Hussain**, 2009. Genotype screening for nutritional quality in organic wheat. TP Organics towards a strategic research agenda, NJF workshop Tartu, Estonia. 28 August.
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- 52. **Abrar Hussain,** Ali Hafeez Malik and Eva Johansson, 2011. Food quality of organically produced primitive wheat. 24th NJF congress on Food, Feed, Fuel and Fun-Nordic lighton future land use and rural development. NJF report vol 7, No. 3 pp, 88.
- 53. Ali Hafeez Malik, **Abrar Hussain** and Eva Johansson, 2011. Influence of combinations of genetic and environmental factors on bread-making quality of four Nordic wheat cultivars. 24th NJF congress on Food, Feed, Fuel and Fun-Nordic light on future land use and rural development. NJF report vol 7, No. 3 pp, 204.

- 54. **Abrar Hussain,** 2011. Health and organic wheat: what is your choice? Seminar organized by Department of Agricuture-Farming Systems Technology and Product Quality, SLU, Alnarp, Sweden. 1st April.
- 55. **Abrar Hussain,** 2011. Influence of organic farming system on the nutritional value of wheat grain. Organic food and farming systems: Possible roles in mitigating and adapting to climate change, Denmark, 5-10 June.
- 56. **Abrar Hussain**, 2011. Health and organic wheat: what is your choice. Seminars in Agrosystems, SLU, Sweden. 1 April.
- 57. **Abrar Hussain**, 2011. Challenges for sustainable legume cropping systems. Workshop organized by Department of Agrosystems, SLU, Alnarp, Sweden, 14 September.
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- 59. Hans Larsson and **Abrar Hussain** 2012. Nutritional and baking aspects of organic wheat genotypes.Nordic wheat worshop, Denmark, June 18-20.
- 60. **Abrar Hussain,** 2012. Use of Information Technology in Irrigation Management for Small Scale Farming Communities in Rural Areas 25-27 December 2012, Islamabad, Pakistan.
- 61. R. Kuktaite, **A. Hussain**, F. Yousefi, H. Larsson, M. L. P. Linde and E. Johansson, 2013. Wheat from sustainable perspective: Locally adapted genotypes with health benefits and good bread-making quality. International Wheat Genetics symposium, 8-14 September, Yokohama, Japan.
- 62. E. Johansson, A. Malik, **A. Hussain,** B. Husenov, M. Makhkamov, R. Kuktaite, 2013. Genotype and environment interactions determine protein composition and bread-making quality in wheat. International Wheat Genetics symposium, 8-14 September, Yokohama, Japan.
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- ➤ Ekologiskt vete med högt näringsvärde och goda bakegenskaper. Centre for Organic Food and Farming (EPOK) Dated 24-04-2012.
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CONFERENCES AND SEMINAR ORGANIZED

- Nutritional Awareness Seminar at CUI Sahiwal 2023.
- ➤ World Food Day Seminar 2023.
- Food Product Gala and awareness seminar 2022.
- National workshop on "Food Safety & Hygiene" at CIIT, Sahiwal 18 May 2016.
- > Thallesemia status in pakistan and awareness at COMSATS, Sahiwal 04 July 2016.
- Seminar on World Food Day COMSATS, Sahiwal 10 October 2015.
- Nutrition and Stress Management COMSATS, Sahiwal 21 March 2015.
- > One day seminar on Current Cancer Scenarios in Pakistan with SKMH. October 2014.

ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES PERFORMED

Sr. No.	Description of Duty Performed	Semester
1	Head, Department of Biosciences CUI, Sahiwal	SP23-To-Date
2	Looking after Biotechnology at CUI Sahiwal Campus	SP23-To-Date
3	Main Architect of the proposal launching Department of Environmental Sciences and BS Agriculture at CUI Sahiwal Campus	SP23-To-Date
4	Main Architect of the proposal launching MS in Human Nutrition & Dietetics at CUI Sahiwal Campus	SP23-To-Date
5	Incharge, Food Science and Nutrition Program at CUI, Sahiwal.	Fall 18-to-FA19

Main architect of FSN program at CUI Sahiwal. Prepared SoS and Proposal for	
launching BS in Food Science and Nutrition at	Fall- 2015-to-
CUI, Sahiwal. Got Approval from academic council and notified. Now program	date
	Fall-14- to-date
	2018-to-date
IGDB, CAS Beijing china will be patent soon	2018-to-date
Member CARC CUI, Sahiwal Campus	SP23-To-Date
Member convocation Steering Committee	SP23-To-Date
	SP22-To-Date
Member UPSIGN: Consortium of UK-PAK scientists	SP22-To-Date
	SP22-To-SP22
Convener of Cafeteria Committee and perform activities assigned by competent authority	SP22-10-SP22
Convener DAC of the Department	SP23-To-Date
Nutrition counseling sessions at DHQ Hospital Sahiwal	SP23-To-Date
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Member Departmental Academic Review Committee	Fall-14- To- Fall16
Acting Incharge of Department of Biosciences	Fall-15-To-SP-
	16
Arranged seminars with cooperation of Shaukat Khanum Memorial	
Hospital, Ali Zeb Foundation and SUNDUS	SP-14-16
	SP-13 -Fall 15
Coordinator Directorate of Student Affairs	SP-13 -Fall 13
Convener of Health awareness and blood donor society at CIIT,	SP-13-SP-16
Sahiwal	
Secretary of MS Advisory Committee	Fall-14- To-
A 1 C C CMOD	SP16
Academic Coordinator of MSB	Fall-14- To-16
Convocation Committee	Fall-15
Departmental administrative responsibilities (batch advisor,	
arranging seminars etc)	Fall-14-To-SP-
Departmental Operating Officer (DOO)	Fall-14
Administrative responsibilities to organize Orientation Day	Fall-15, SP-15
Member ORIC CIIT Sahiwal	SP-15-SP16
Prepared SoS and Proposal for Doctor of Nutrition and Dietetics	
program at CIIT, Sahiwal (description attached). Got Approval from academic	SP-16-To-Fall
	is running with a strength of 500 students Member Departmental Academic Review Committee Developed 20 deletion mutants of Glu genes in wheat in collaboration with IGDB, CAS Beijing china will be patent soon Member CARC CUI, Sahiwal Campus Member convocation Steering Committee Member accreditation committee, Food Science and Nutrition Program at CUI, Sahiwal. Member UPSIGN: Consortium of UK-PAK scientists Convener of Cafeteria Committee and perform activities assigned by competent authority Convener DAC of the Department Nutrition counseling sessions at DHQ Hospital Sahiwal Member Departmental Academic Review Committee Acting Incharge of Department of Biosciences Arranged seminars with cooperation of Shaukat Khanum Memorial Hospital, Ali Zeb Foundation and SUNDUS foundation. Coordinator Directorate of Student Affairs Convener of Health awareness and blood donor society at CIIT, Sahiwal Secretary of MS Advisory Committee Academic Coordinator of MSB Convocation Committee Departmental administrative responsibilities (batch advisor, arranging seminars etc) Departmental Operating Officer (DOO) Administrative responsibilities to organize Orientation Day Member ORIC CIIT Sahiwal Prepared SoS and Proposal for Doctor of Nutrition and Dietetics

		council and notified.	16
Ī	29	Member MS thesis evaluation committee	SP14-16

LANGUAGE SKILLS

English: Fluent Swedish: Good

Urdu: Excellent
Punjabi: Excellent

INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATIONS

- ➤ Wheat Quality Lab. Department of Plant Breeding and Biotechnology. SLU, Alnarp, Sweden.
- > Department of Crop Sciences, Rothamsted International Research UK.
- > State Key Laboratory of Plant Cell and Chromosome Engineering, Institute of Genetics and Developmental Biology, CAS, Beijing. China.
- ➤ Bread quality lab, International Center for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas (ICARDA), Rabat, Morocco.

THESIS TITLE OF MS STUDENTS

#	Student Name	Thesis Title	MS/PhD	Supervisor / Co- Supervisor	Status: Registered / Completed
1	Hijab Waseem	Sensory evaluation of fortified breads	MS	Supervisor	Completed
2	Irum Hanif	Determination of Biochemical and Therapeutic Properties of Green Leafy Vegetables	MS	Supervisor	Completed
3	Rohma Naeem	Proximate Composition and Therapeutic Activities of Citrus Fruit Peels	MS	Supervisor	Completed

4	Rida Bakhtawar	Determination of antioxidant and antimicrobial activity of Cannabis sativa and molecular docking studies of potential canabinoids	MS	Supervisor	Completed
5	Aqsa Sajjad	Analysis of Biochemical and Physical Parameters of Commercially Grown Maize Hybrids.	MS	Supervisor	Completed
6	Shahneel Shafaq	Investigation of molecular mechanisms underlying wheat flour functionality	MS	Supervisor	Completed
7	Sadia Masood	Varietal Differences in Dietary Fibre Content of Wheat and its Relationship with Bread Quality Parameters	MS	Supervisor	Completed
8	Afifa Manzoor	Suitability of SRCs to Asses Protein and Bread Quality Parameters of Pakistani Wheat Varieties	MS	Supervisor	Completed
9	Rabia Ghaffar	Analysis of Proteins in Basmati Rice Seedlings Grown at Low Temperature	MS	Supervisor	Completed
10	Sadia Masood	Varietal differences in dietary fibre contents of wheat and its relationship to bread quality parameters	MS	Supervisor	Registered / thesis completed
11	Meerab Fatima	Isolation, Identification and analysis of xanthmonas oryzae specificity causing bacterial blight in rice	MS	Co-Supervisor	Completed

12	Zabia Akram	Protein Contents and Polymerization of Whole Meal Flour from Pakistani Wheat Varieties	MS	Supervisor	Completed
13	Zubaria Ishaq	Screening of Organochlorine Pesticide Residues in Milk Collected from Sahiwal Region	MS	Supervisor	Completed
14	Lubna Kanwal	Effect of Alphatocopherol succinate on kinematics, Mitochondrial Transmembrane Potential and DNA Integrity of Frozen thawed Buffalo Bull Spermatozoa.	MS	Supervisor	Completed
15	Naila Iqbal	Hypoglycemic and Anti Hyperchlosteromic Effect of Aloe vera Leaf Extract in Alloxan Induced Diabetic Albino Rats	MS	Supervisor	Completed
16	Misbah Saeed	Comparison of Antibacterial Activities of Selected Lamiaceae Plant Essential oils with Antibiotics Used in Upper Respiratory Tract Infections	MS	Supervisor	Completed
17	Junaid Khalid	Comparative antifungal activity of the leaves and roots extracts of Solanum Xanthocarpum and Solanum nigram	MS	Supervisor	Registered
18	Muhammad Nawaz	Incidence of foliar diseases of potato in Sahiwal division and its microscoping profiling	MS	Co-Supervisor	Completed
19	Umbreen Sardar	Computational Analysis of NIMIN proteins Interaction Network during SA Induced Response in Arabidopsis thaliana	MS	Co-Supervisor	Completed

20	Yaqoot Sumbla	Toxic Effects of Chromium Metal on Plants, Animals, Soil and Human in Vicinity of Tannery Industries Located n Sahiwal Yaqoot Sumbla	MS	Co-Supervisor	Completed
21	Muhammad Nawaz	Incidence of foliar diseases of potato in Sahiwal division and its microscoping profiling	MS	Co-Supervisor	Completed
22	Linta Arshad	Molecular Profiling and Population Structure of Mulberry (Morus spp.) Genotypes	MS	Co-Supervisor	Completed
23	Nida Jabeen	Morphological, Biochemical and Molecular Analysis of Potato (Solanum tuberosum) Genotypes	MS	Co-Supervisor	Completed

INTERNATIONAL STUDY VISITS

- ➤ Department of Food Science and Technology, University of Applied Sciences and Plant Biotechnology (BOKU), Vienna, Austria.
- Microscopy lab, University of Life Sciences, Copenhagon, Denmark.
- > Department of Plant Breeding and Biotechnology, University of Applied Sciences and Plant Biotechnology (BOKU), Vienna, Austria.

REVIEWER/EDITORIAL MEMBERSHIP

- Member editorial Board of EC nutrition (International)
- Separations (International)
- Processes (International)
- Molecules (International)
- Food chemistry (International)
- Cereal Science (International)

- IJAB (International)
- Cereal Chemistry (International)
- Food Science (International)
- Pakistan journal of Botany (National)

COURSES TAUGHT

Course Title	Credit Hours	PhD/Master/ Undergrad	Students Feedback in %age
Principles of Human Nutrition SP23	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	94.5
Nutrition in Emergency SP23	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Food Fermentation and Biotechnology SP23	4(3, 1)	Undergrad	-
Nutritional requirement at different ages SP23	4(3, 1)	Undergrad	-
Nutrition in Emergency FA23	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Introduction to Food Science and Nutrition FA23	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Principles of Human Nutrition FA22 A	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Nutritional Counselling FA22 A	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Principles of Human Nutrition FA22 B	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Contemporary Nutrition FA22 B	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Principles of Human Nutrition SP22 A	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Nutrition in Emergency SP22 A	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Nutritional throughout life cycle SP22 B	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Cereal Sciences SP21 B5 A	3(2, 1)	Undergrad	-
Cereal Sciences SP21 B5 B	3(2, 1)	Undergrad	-
Nutritional Assesment SP21 B4 A	3(2, 1)	Undergrad	-
Principles of Human Nutrition SP21 A	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Nutrition in Emergency FA21 B2 A	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Nutrition in Emergency FA21 B2 B	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Inherited Nutritional Disorders FA21 B7	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Cereal Sciences FSN B2 A SP20	3(2, 1)	Undergrad	-
Food Chemistry Fall 19	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Cereal Sciences FSN B2 B SP20	4(3, 1)	Undergrad	-
Principles of Human Nutrition B2 A Fall 19	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Principles of Human Nutrition B2 B Fall 19	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-

Cereal Sciences FA20	3(2, 1)	Undergrad	-
Food Chemistry Fall 20	3(3, 0)	Undergrad	-
Environmental Biotechnology	3(3, 0)	Masters	-
Report Writing and Seminar	3(3, 0)	Masters	-
Environmental Microbiology	3(3, 0)	Masters	-
Environmental Biotechnology	3(3, 0)	Masters	-

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