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### **Education**

PhD, University of California at Irvine, 2014.

Area of Study: Anthropology

MA, Cal State University, 2007.

Area of Study: Communications

MA, University of Kashmir, 1998.

Area of Study: Mass Communication & Journalism

BSc, University of Kashmir, 1995.

### **Professional Academic Experience**

Associate Professor, University of Northern Colorado. (2014 - Present).

Teaching Assistant, University of California at Irvine. (2008 - 2014).

Visiting Professor, Media Education Research Center, University of Kashmir. (2011 - 2012).

Teaching Associate, California State University - Fullerton. (2006 - 2007).

Guest Lecturer, California State University - Fullerton. (2004 - 2005).

Visiting Professor, School of Education. (2002).

Part-time Lecturer, Indira Gandhi National Open University. (1999 - 2001).

Part-time Instructor, SSM College of Engineering. (1998 - 2001).

Part-time Lecturer, Institute of Management. (2000).

Part-time Lecturer, College of Education. (1998 - 2000).

### **Licensures and Certifications**

National Eligibility Test, University Grants Commission of India. (November 1999 - Present).

## **RESEARCH, SCHOLARSHIP, AND CREATIVE WORKS**

### **Publications**

#### **Juried**

Journal Article

Accepted

Zia, A. (2022). Poetry as dissent and placemaking in the Indian occupied Kashmir. *Asian Affairs, Special Issue, Edited by Neeti Nair, 2022*.  
<https://authorservices.taylorandfrancis.com/publishing-open-access/open-access-cost-finder/>

Published

Bhan, M., Misri, D., Zia, A. (2020). Relating Otherwise, Forging Critical Solidarities Across the Kashmiri Pandit-Muslim Divide. *Biography, 43*(2).

Zia, A. (2020). Indian Necropolitics and Weaponizing Covid-19 in Kashmir. *Jindal Law and Humanities Review, 1/1, 2020, 1/1*.

Osuri, G., Zia, A. (2020). Coloniality and solidarity in medias res, Kashmir and Palestine, *Identities Journal, Studies in Global Culture and Power*.

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Zani, L., Zia, A., Kusserow, A., Elliot, D. (2020). How We Review and Support the Art of Ethnographic Poetry. *Anthropology and Humanism, 44/2*, 182-188. 1607, 37 avenue place

Zia, A. (2020). Their wounds are our wounds": A case for Affective Solidarity between Palestine. *Identities: Studies in Global Culture and Power*.

Zia, A. (2020). The Haunting Specter of Hindu Ethnonationalist-Neocolonial Development in the Indian occupied Kashmir. *Journal, Society for International Development (SID)*.

Zia, A. (2019). LOC: The Line "Out" of Control in Kashmir region. *American Quarterly, Special Issue Forum., 71*(4).

Ali, N., Bhan, M., Misri, D., Mukherjee, S., Upadhyay, N., Zia, A. (2019). Geographies of Occupation in South Asia. *Feminist Studies; Special issue, Indigenous Feminisms in Settler Contexts, 45*(2/3).

Zia, A. (2019). Blinding Kashmiris The Right to Maim and the Indian Military Occupation in Kashmir. *Journal Interventions : Extrajudicial Bodies of Violence in the New Age of Empire, 21*(6).  
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/1369801X.2019.1607527?journalCode=rrij20>

Nitasha, K., Zia, A. (2018). Editor(s): Women and Kashmir: Special Journal Issue on Gender and Kashmir, *Review of Women's Studies, Economic and Political Weekly, 53*(47). <https://www.epw.in/journal/2018/47/review-womens-studies/knowning-our-own-ways.html>

Nitasha, K., Zia, A. (2018). Introduction: Knowing in our own ways. *53*(47), 33-35.

<https://www.epw.in/journal/2018/47/review-womens-studies/knowning-our-own-ways.html>

Zia, A. (2016). The Spectacle of a Good Half-Widow: Women in Search of their Disappeared Men in the Kashmir Valley. *PoLAR: Political and Legal Anthropology Review*, 39(2), 164–175.

Zia, A. (2014). Postcolonial Nation-Making: Warfare, Jihad, Subjectivity, and Compassion in the Region of Kashmir. *India Review*, 13(3), 300–311.

Zia, A. (2014). The Ex Fighter Returns. *Anthropology and Humanism*, 39(1).

## Book

### Accepted

Zia, A. (2021). Section editor, “Armed Conflict, Global Wars and Transnational Solidarities” in The Routledge Handbook of Critical Kashmir Studies. *Forthcoming Zia, Ather. Section Editor, The Routledge Handbook of Critical Kashmir Studies. Editors Haley Duschinski and Mona Bhan. Routledge.*

### Published

Zia, A. (2021). *Resisting Disappearance: Military Occupation and Women's Activism in Kashmir [South Asia Edition]*. New Delhi: Zubaan Books.  
<https://www.amazon.com/Resisting-Disappearance-Occupation-Decolonizing-Feminisms/dp/0295744987>. DOI: <https://zubaanbooks.com/shop/resisting-disappearance-military-occupation-and-womens-activism-in-kashmir/>

Nitasha, K., Zia, A. (2020). In Nitasha Kaul and Ather Zia (Ed.), *Can you hear Kashmiri Women Speak*. India: Women Unlimited Press.. <https://www.amazon.com/Can-Hear-Kashmiri-Women-Speak/dp/9385606301>

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<https://www.amazon.com/Resisting-Disappearance-Occupation-Decolonizing-Feminisms/dp/0295744987>

## Book Chapter

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#### Published

Zia, A. (2021). Weaponizing Women: Kashmir and the Indian military Occupation. In Leela Fernandes, Director and Stanley D. Golub Endowed Chair Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies University of Washington, Seattle (Ed.), *Handbook on Gender in South Asia (2nd edition)*. Zia Ather, Overview of Women and Militarization in Indian administered Kashmir, Editor Leela Fernandes, Routledge, 2021. <https://www.taylorfrancis.com/chapters/edit/10.4324/9781003043102-14/weaponizing-women-ather-zia>

Zia, A. (2021). The Fear of Settler Colonialism, and the battle for Kashmir's soul. In Indrajit Roy (Ed.), *Passionate politics and the battle for India's soul: India's 2019 General Elections*. Manchester University Press. <https://manchesteruniversitypress.co.uk/9781526157720/>

Zia, A. (2020). Surveillance, Occupation and the Right to Privacy in Kashmir, in Right to Privacy. In Serena Hussain, Associate Professor Centre for Trust Peace and Social Relations Coventry University Email: serena.hussain@coventry.ac.uk (Ed.), *Society and Politics of Jammu and Kashmir, Editor Serena Hussain*. Palgrave. [https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-3-030-56481-0\\_12](https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-3-030-56481-0_12)

Zia, A., Kaul, N. (2020). Preface: Making our voices heard. In Kaul Nitasha and Zia Ather (Ed.), *Women, Militarization & Occupation in Kashmir (tentative title)*. New Delhi: Women Unlimited. <https://www.amazon.com/Can-Hear-Kashmiri-Women-Speak/dp/9385606301>

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Zia, A., Duschinski, H., Bhan, M. (2018). *Rebels of the Streets: Violence, Protest, and Freedom in Kashmir [Co-author Introduction]: Duschinski, Haley, Mona Bhan, Ather Zia, and Cynthia Mahmood*. 2018. *Resisting Occupation in Kashmir*. University of Pennsylvania Press. Philadelphia:.

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#### Book Review

##### Accepted

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*and Scientific Interrogations in India. by Jinee Lokaneeta, Ann Arbor: University of Michigan Roait Journal, Forthcoming.*

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- Zia, A. (2018). *Of Gardens and Graves: Kashmir, Poetry, Politics by Suvir Kaul South Asia. Journal of South Asia.*
- Zia, A. (2018). *Life, Emergent: The Social in the Afterlives of Violence by Yasmeen Arif, Orient Blackswan. In Contributions to Indian Sociology (3rd ed., vol. 52). Contributions to Indian Sociology.*
- Zia, A. (2017). *Imperfect Tense (2nd ed., vol. 42). Anthropology and Humanism.*
- Zia, A. (2016). *Contesting Feminism: Gender and Islam in Asia by Huma Ahmed-Ghosh. International Feminist Journal of Politics..*
- Zia, A. (2016). *2016: Review of Last Scene Underground, An Ethnographic Novel of Iran by Roxanne Varzi. 3AM Magazine. <http://www.3ammagazine.com/3am/last-scene-underground-review/>*
- Zia, A. (2015). *The Life of a Kashmiri Woman: Dialectic of Resistance and Accommodation by Nyla Ali Khan. Voices: A Publication of the Association for Feminist Anthropology..*

#### Magazine/Trade Publication

##### Published

- Zia, A. (2020). *i.will.cross. The Sapiens. <https://www.sapiens.org/language/line-of-control/>*
- Zia, A. (2020). *in Kashmir all phones are dead (vol. <https://crossedlines.co.uk/in-kashmir-all-phones-are-dead/>). University of Nottingham: Crossed Line, Dial a Poem project. <https://crossedlines.co.uk/feature-poets/>*

#### Monograph

##### Published

- Zia, A. (1999). *The Frame - An Anthology of Poems. New Delhi: JK Publishers [Cultural Academy of Languages and Arts].*

#### Research Report

##### Accepted

- Zia, A., Reshi, M. (2022). *Harassment Faced by Kashmiris in India: A case for political Discrimination. Jammu and Kashmir Coalition of Civil Society.*

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- Zia, A. (2016). *Field Report Engaged Anthropology Grant. Wenner Gren Foundation: Wenner Gren Blogs. [http://blog.wennergren.org/2016/12/eag\\_zia/](http://blog.wennergren.org/2016/12/eag_zia/)*
- Zia, A. (2016). *Field Notes - Photo Essay fieldwork was also documented on the Association for Anthropology of Policy (ASAP) instagram site [Please see post 1*

through 15: <https://www.instagram.com/p/BlkxmnBhFU/> [ASAP American Anthropological Association]. <https://www.instagram.com/p/BlkxmnBhFU/>

#### Reviews of Resisting Disappearance (All reviews in a Single PDF)

##### Published

Zia, A. (2020). *Reviews of Resisting Disappearance in varied reputed academic and mainstream journals.*

##### Working Paper

##### Published

Zia, A. (2013). *The Spectacle of a Good-Half Widow: Performing Agency in the Human Rights Movement in Kashmir.* Thinking Gender working paper series, UCLA Women's Studies [<http://www.escholarship.org/uc/item/3xx4n1zf>].

Zia, A. (2013). "Women in Search of the Disappeared in Kashmir." Working paper and ethnographic video, Human Rights Center Berkeley [<http://www.law.berkeley.edu/HRCweb/pdfs/fellow-reports09/Zia-Final%20Report.pdf>]. *HR Center Berkeley.* <http://www.escholarship.org/uc/item/3xx4n1zf>

Zia, A. (2010). "Women, Disappearance and Militarization." *Exploratory research report, International Peace Research Association Foundation* [<http://iprafoundation.org/ather-zia/>].

#### Non-juried

##### Journal Article

##### Accepted

Zia, A. (2022). Zia, Ather. The Double Pandemic of War and Virus, Dispatches from Occupied Lands. *American Ethnologist.*

##### Published

Zia, A. (2020). A Holocaust not written in Books. *Kashmir, Indian administered*, 1(1). <https://zanaanwanaan.com/>

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Goldie, O., Zia, A. (2020). Coloniality and solidarity in medias res, Kashmir and Palestine [Blog]. *Identities.* <https://www.identitiesjournal.com/blog-articles/coloniality-and-solidarity-in-medias-res-kashmir-and-palestine>

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Zia, A. (2022). A Movement gaining ground: Global Kashmiri diaspora after August 5, 2019. *Kashmir after 2019 (tentative title) -Anthology, editor Haziq Qadri*. New Delhi: Not Available.

##### Published

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Zia, A. (2009). Women's Experiences in Conflict Transformation. *Conflict Transformation Collection, Women in Security Conflict Management & Peace*. New Delhi, India: WISCOMP.

Zia, A. (2001). Women's Literacy in Kashmir. *Empowerment of Women in India*. Government of India Publication.

#### Curated Series of Ethnographic Poetry

##### Published

Zia, A. (2019). *The Verse Journal of Kashmir Siege* (vol. 3 October). Cultural Anthropology. <https://culanth.org/fieldsights/verse-journal-of-the-kashmir-siege>

#### Curated Series on Ethnographic Poetry

##### Published

Zia, A. (2017). *Capturing the Ethnographic Surfeit: A few poems from the Society for Humanistic Anthropology Poetry Workshop*. <http://sha.americananthro.org/2017/04/capturing-the-ethnographic-surfeit-a-few-poems-from-the-society-for-humanistic-anthropology-poetry-workshop/>

#### Magazine/Trade Publication

##### Published

Zia, A. (2021). *Farah Bashir's memoir on growing up in Kashmir offers a sharp*

- perspective on surveillance and resistance*. The Caravan Journal. <https://caravanmagazine.in/books/farah-bashir-book-review>
- Zia, A. (2021). *Kashmiris in India are still suffering*. Al Jazeera. <https://www.aljazeera.com/indepth/opinion/reason-fear-safety-kashmiri-india-190805143607160.html>
- Zia, A. (2021). In Amjad Majid (Ed.), *Two Ghazals (Kashmiri)*, *Inverse Journal*. Inverse Journal.
- Zia, A. (2020). *a day in a life that inches prayer by prayer*. Adi magazine. <https://adimagazine.com/articles/day-in-a-life/>
- Zia, A. (2020). Kashmir Siege, 2019 (Excerpts from a verse journal). 'Each gulp is a dagger': Five poets respond to the altered reality of Kashmir after the lockdown. New Delhi: The Scroll. <https://scroll.in/article/940900/each-gulp-is-a-dagger-five-poets-respond-to-the-altered-reality-of-kashmir-after-the-lockdown>
- Zia, A. (2020). *Mrs Bhat's Kashmiri Fish Dinner*. NYC: Guernica. <https://www.guernicamag.com/mrs-bhats-kashmiri-fish-dinner/>
- Zia, A. (2020). Listening through Silence. *Adi Magazine*. NYC, USA. <https://adimagazine.com/articles/listening-through-the-silence/>
- Zia, A. (2020). *one lazy august afternoon from a childhood in Kashmir*. The Scroll. <https://scroll.in/article/951662/i-gift-you-a-rugged-map-carved-from-cracks-between-divorced-nations-five-poems-from-kashmir>
- Zia, A. (2020). *GAG, HOME, KILL: Three Poems by Ather Zia*. The Margins, Asian American Writers Workshop. <https://aaww.org/gag-home-kill-ather-zia/>
- Zia, A. (2020). In Nimmi Gowrinathan and Meara Sharma (Ed.), *Listening Through the Silence*. New York: Adi Magazine. <https://adimagazine.com/articles/listening-through-the-silence/>
- Osuri, G., Zia, A. (2019). *Coloniality and solidarity in medias res, Kashmir and Palestine*. Identities. <https://www.identitiesjournal.com/blog-articles/coloniality-and-solidarity-in-medias-res-kashmir-and-palestine>
- Zia, A. (2019). *How Facebook helps silence Kashmiris*. The Caravan. <https://caravanmagazine.in/commentary/how-facebook-helps-silence-kashmiris>
- Zia, A. (2019). *Kashmir Gaining International Traction, But Is It Being Heard?*. Outlook India. <https://www.outlookindia.com/website/story/india-news-is-kashmir-being-heard/342239>
- Zia, A. (2019). *The Straw man arguments and the removal of article 370*. Asia Dialogue, Sep 27.
- Osuri, G., Zia, A. (2019). 'Till the soldiers return the keys': unyielding resistance in Palestine and Kashmir. Mondoweiss. <https://mondoweiss.net/2019/08/unyielding-resistance-palestine/>
- Misri, D., Bhan, M., Kanjwal, H., Duschinski, H. (2018). *A decolonial feminist statement on #metoo in Kashmir*. The Ladies Finger.

- Zia, A., Duschinski, H. (2018). *The Legend of UNO Sahab*.
- Zia, A. (2017). *An everyday Kashmiri Feminist Man*. Raoit. <http://raiot.in/an-everyday-kashmiri-feminist-man/>
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- Zia, A. (2016). *Azadi Resurrected: A Referendum In Blood*.
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- Zia, A. (2016). *I'm A Kashmiri. This Is What I Thought When Kanhaiya Said Kashmir Is Integral To India - Huffington Post*. <http://www.huffingtonpost.in/ather-zia/>
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Material Regarding New Courses/Curricula

Published

Zia, A. (2000). *Reviewing Public Relations; A Tutorial*. Kashmir University, J&K press.

Monograph

Published

Zia, A. (2001). *Shehjar Khoj – A Monograph on Women in Health Campaigns in Kashmir*. Voluntary Health Association of India.

Newspaper

Published

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Zia, A. (2012). *Mourning and Memorialization in Kashmir. Daily Greater Kashmir*.

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Zia, A. (2011). *Women in Protest. Daily Kashmir Times*.

Zia, A. (2010). *In the Killing Fields of Kashmir. Dissident Voice*.

Zia, A. (2010). *Rapes in Kashmir. Arabisto & Countercurrents*.

Zia, A. (2009). *Solution for Kashmir. Greater Kashmir*.

Zia, A. (2009). *Women's Empowerment & Rapes in Kashmir. Greater Kashmir*.

Zia, A. (2008). *Media and Militarization. Greater Kashmir*.

Zia, A. (2007). *Kashmiri Women: Roles, Concerns, & Milestones. Kashmir Affairs*.

Zia, A. (2007). *Wither Kashmir: Short Term Glory or Long Term Solution. Dissident Voice*.

Research Report

Published

Zia, A. (2010). *Women, Disappearance and Militarization*. International Peace Research Association Foundation. <http://iprafoundation.org/ather-zia/>

Working Paper

Published

Zia, A. (2010). *Women in Search of the Disappeared in Kashmir*. Human Rights Center Berkeley. <http://www.law.berkeley.edu/HRCweb/pdfs/fellow-reports09/Zia-Final%20Report.pdf>

## Artistic and Professional Performances & Exhibits

### Juried

- Taylor, M. C., Zia, A., "Poetic Responsibility in Ethnographic Inquiry," Society for Humanistic Anthropology (AAA, Baltimore), Virtual (Podcast). (November 17, 2021).
- Zia, A., "Where Ethnography Meets Poetry: Poetry Reading and Workshop with Poets," College of Fine Arts, University of New Mexico. (April 22, 2021).
- Zia, A., "Review of Edited Volume A Desolation Called Peace by Bhavneet Kaur [page 4]," Seminar India. (February 2020).
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- Zia, A., Canhmann-Taylor, M., Stone, N., Zani, L., "2018 A Good Year for Good Ethnographic Poetry [PANEL+ SPOKEN WORD]," Ather Zia, Society for Humanistic Anthropology, AAA 2018, Greeley. (November 17, 2018 - 2018).
- Zia, A., "Poetry, Prose and Pizza," Society for Humanistic Anthropology, SHA SUITE, SIDE EVENT. (2017).

### Non-juried

- Zia, A., "A collection of essays re-locates historical rupture of 1989 that affected Kashmir's political trajectory," Akash Joshi, Indian Express [National Daily of India]. (March 15, 2020).
- Zia, A., "Verse Journal of the Kashmir Siege Live Performance [<https://www.instagram.com/p/B6QxdeWpvsQ/>]," Asian American Writers Workshop, NYU. (December 15, 2019).
- Zia, A., "Gula and Friends: Tales from Kashmir. A series of children's stories. [Due to communication/internet blockade this website is down; plz see attached screenshots]," Zavnun Lokchaar, India. (2018 - May 2019).
- Zia, A., "Tott: A poetic response to 'electoral politics' in Kashmir: Tott, by Ather Zia," Ather Zia, Free Press Kashmir. (January 2019).
- Zia, A., "Antropoesia," Ather Zia, The Polis project, Greeley. (November 2018 - December 2018).
- Zia, A., "Open Mic [Awards and SHA Suite Side Event]," Society for Humanistic Anthropology, AAA 2018. (November 2018 - 2018).
- Zia, A., "Partition Poem: In Kashmir, Writing Under Occupation," The Shoreline Review, New York. (2018).
- Zia, A., "Kashmir Only Bleeds," Asian American Writers Workshop. (August 14, 2018).
- Zia, A., "We are the republic of solidarity [Keynote/Spoken Word]," Ather Zia, Tricon, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. (March 31, 2018).

Zia, A., "Poetry recital: Wetch Kyuth Naad Layoukh Azadi (Kashmiri)," Free Press Kashmir. (August 2017 - 2017).

Zia, A., "Prima Facie Nothing has happened," Blaze Vox [https://www.scribd.com/document/105628204/Bx-Fall-2012]. (2017).

Zia, A., "Trace, Visual Verse magazine." (2017).

Zia, A., "Co-founder, "Enactments," an ethnographic poetry project with Dr. Melisa Canhmann Taylor & Dr. Nomi Stone," SHA. (2014 - 2017).

Zia, A., "In Kashmir, it is the boys, [and everyone]." (2016).

Zia, A., "Writing Under Occupation, Poetry on Scroll Magazine." (2016).

Zia, A., "Last Signature poem." (2013).

## Professional Presentations

### Invited

#### Juried

Zia, A., Book Talk, "Resisting Disappearances and the case of Kashmir," Sociology & Anthropology Department at Concordia University- Montreal. (November 26, 2021).

Zia, A., Hate Mail/Male: Negotiating Online Terror as Scholars and Activists in South Asian Religious Contexts., "Resistance as Terror: The case of Advocacy for Kashmir," American Academy of Religion, San Antonio, Texas (Virtual). (November 22, 2021).

Zia, A., "Field-in-Verse: On Anthropolgia and Ethnography," South Asian Studies, Dept. of Anthropology, Rice University. (November 11, 2021).

Zia, A., Keynote Speaker -- Fifth Annual International Conference on Border Studies at the University of Texas Rio Grande, October [date not announced], "The Lines of Control on People." (October 2021).

Zia, A., Feminist Talk Series, "TBC," Centre for Women's Studies, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University. (October 29, 2021).

Zia, A., Fifth Annual International Conference on Border Studies, "Democratic Necropolitics & Bordermaking," University of Texas Rio Grande. (October 28, 2021).

Zia, A., South Asia Conference, Madison, "Author Meets Critics Roundtable, Resisting Disappearance: Military Occupation and Women's Activism." (October 22, 2021).

Zia, A., Rocky Mountain Modern Language Association, "Verse Journal of Kashmir Siege [South Asia and Its Diaspora, Creative Work ]," Virtual. (October 14, 2021).

Zia, A., Special Scholar Session, "Decolonial Praxis and Kashmir Studies," Gender Studies, Kashmir University. (July 17, 2021).

Zia, A., Symposium, Crafting, weaving, and cultivating solidarities: imagining transnational and translocal solidarities through research and pedagogy, "Kashmir

and Palestine: Impediments to solidarity," *Imagining Transnational Solidarities Research Circle & AGITATE! Editorial Collective*, University of Minnesota. (July 16, 2021).

Zia, A., *Marginalized Voices 2021*, "Indian Politics of Democracy, Ethnonationalism and the case of Kashmir," Hewit Institute for social studies education and History department, UNCO, Centerra campus. (June 3, 2021).

Zia, A., *Life Politics of Death*, "Colonial Constitutionalism & the Politics of Democracy in Kashmir," Department of Anthropology University of Tennessee – Knoxville. (May 11, 2021).

Zia, A., *Citizenship, Belonging and Partition of India*, "Poetry as dissent and placemaking in the Indian occupied Kashmir," Institute of Humanities and Global Cultures, University of Virginia and Royal Society for Asian Affairs. (April 9, 2021).

Zia, A., *Feminist Research Speaker Series*, "Decolonial Feminist Praxis and APDP," Department of Women's and Gender Studies at the University of Alberta, (March 25, 2021).

Zia, A., *International Issues Discussion (IID) series*, "The Kashmir issue after August 5 2019," Ryerson University. (March 22, 2021).

Zia, A., *2021 Workshop on Ethnopoetics*, "Ethnography Poetry: An exercise in ethical surfeit," International Writing Workshop, University of Iowa, Virtual. (January 15, 2021).

Zia, A., 2020

South Asia and its diaspora: nationalism, belonging and identity, American Association of Geographers, Denver April 6-10 [cancelled], "Kashmiri Diaspora in the US after abrogation of Article 370." (2020).

Zia, A., "2020 Invited Talks [over Zoom]

Roundtable discussion on Azadi

Movement, SAAG Anthology, 10/17

Guest Lecture, South

Asian Theater, Theatre History, Department of Theatre Arts College of Communication and Fine Arts, Layola Marymount College, 10/8

From Black Lives Matter in the U.S. to Palestine, Kashmir, Iran and the Balkans: Protest Strategies, *Imagining Transnational Solidarities Research Circle*, University of Minnesota, 10/2

Guest Lecture, Center for the Study of

Religion and Conflict, Arizona State University, 8/30

Book Talk, Kashmir Reading Room, 9/22

Sara Smith's new

book, 'Intimate Geopolitics: Love, Territory and the Future on India's Northern Threshold' Book Review Series, ODID University of Oxford, 9/7

Guftagu Azadi Ki – Chalo Chale Ke Who Manzil Abhi Nahi Aayee, *Freedom Conversations and Cultural Expressions – Let's march on, Destination is still distant*, PIPFPD, 8/14

STAND Kashmir: Context

and U.S. Policy, STAND 7/31

Anti-Colonial Reckonings,

The Social Theory Centre, Department of Sociology, University of Warwick, 7/14

Digital Rally for Kashmir, Justice for All, 7/25

War and Policing, Campaign Against Arms Trade (CAAT), UK 7/1

Politics, Analysing the gendered and racial aspects of state violence, and articulations of resistance in Kashmir and in India's Northeast, Summer of Ishq, series with Professor Ather Zia and Professor Papori Bora, Center for Studies in Gender and sexuality, Ashoka University, 7/3

Occupation and the pandemic; Indian State's atrocities in Kashmir" Sustainable Development Policy Institute (SDPI), Islamabad, Pakistan, 6/2

Guernica Digital Panel on Lockdown, 6/18

Blooming Through Crisis, Rising With Rage: Anti-Imperialist Cultural Fest, International league of People's struggle, 5/29

Lahore Lit fest (declined)

Invitation for

Pre-Covid19

Kashmir Teach-in, Department of Comparative Literature, University of Southern California, 3/9

Stand with Kashmir, Women's Resistance

Day Campaign, 2/7

Erasure of Kashmir's autonomy, United Nations Association of Boulder County Speaker Series, 2/27

Stand with Kashmir panel on Uyghurs and Kashmiri struggles, Islamic Center of Boulder, 1/17

Decolonial Aesthetics:

Feminist Responses to Occupation, NYU 4/3

Resisting Disappearance: Book Talk and Teach-in, Department of Religious Studies, Yale, 5/4

The Erasure of Kashmir's autonomy and the Myth of Gender Discrimination, University of Washington, South Asia Studies colloquium series, 4/2

Kashmiri resistance & rising Hindutva Terrorism, Truman State University Kirksville, 2/20

Post 370: The future of Kashmir in history, University of Washington, South Asia Studies colloquium series, 6/2." (2020).

Zia, A., Author Meets Critics: 'Intimate Geopolitics: Love, Territory, and the Future on India's Northern Threshold', "Review of Sara Smith's book Intimate Geopolitics," American Association of Geographers,, 4/6, Denver [postponed, later held on Zoom by ODID, Oxford]. (2020).

Zia, A., "Guest Lecture, Human Rights Day, Central University of Kashmir, 12/10

Focus on Kashmir, International League of Peoples Struggle, 12/9

Visions from India, 21st-Century Art from the Pizzuti Collection Columbia

Museum of Art, University of South Carolina, 12/8

Global Women's  
Movement to Resist Imperialism in time of Covid 19, International Women's Alliance,  
12/5

War, Women's Human Rights and Comfort Women: Reparation,  
Reconciliation and Restoration, the Center for Critical Korean Studies, UC Irvine,  
12/2

Book Panel on Resisting Disappearance with Mona Bhan,  
Sharika Thirangama, Sneha Krishna, ODID & University of Oxford, 11/27

Palestine and Kashmir Intersectional Solidarity, RISD Students for Justice in  
Palestine, RISD South Asian Students Association, and the Brown Kashmir  
Solidarity Movement 11/24

Land Laws in Kashmir, Pa'end Online  
11/21

Keynote, Together for Kashmir, Athwaas, UK, 11/14

First Annual Oration and Lecture, Jindal Law and Humanities, 11/14

Guest Lecture, Decolonizing IR: epistemic violence and emancipation in  
global south, PUC Minas at Poços de Caldas campus, 11/3

Revisiting Dispossession and Loss in Kashmir, Launch of biannual digital issue,  
Zanan Wanan 11/27." (2020).

Zia, A., Law and Power in a Time of Transformation: New Directions in Critical Kashmir  
Studies", Denver May 28-21[cancelled], "Kashmiri resistance in times of lawless  
laws." (2020).

Zia, A., New Books in South Asian Legal Studies, Law and Society Annual Meeting,  
Denver, May 29 [cancelled & held on Zoom], "Review of Jinee Lokaneeta's book  
Truth Machines." (2020).

Zia, A., Annual Conference of Anthropological Association of America, "Anthropology as  
Praxis: Power asymmetries in the Academy,," Vancouver. (November 2019).

Canhmann-Taylor, M., Zia, A., Zani, L., Annual Conference of Anthropological  
Association of America, "Co-organizer, Ethnographic Fringe Salon," Council on  
Anthropology and Education, Vancouver. (November 26, 2019).

Zia, A., Annual Conference of Anthropological Association of America, "Organizer:  
Antropoesia: Writing Ethnographic Poetry in Contemporary Times Workshop,"  
Society for Humanistic Anthropology, Vancouver. (November 22, 2019).

Zia, A., Misri, D., Bhan, M., Kanjwal, H., Haley, D., National Womens Studies  
Association, "Co-organizer Presidential Roundtable, Critical Kashmir Studies  
Collective," San Jose. (November 16, 2019).

Zia, A., Annual 11th SouthAsia Conference, "Reimagining the Movement for Self-  
determination in Indian Occupied Kashmir," NYU, NYU. (February 23, 2019).

Zia, A., The Global Solidarities Lecture Series presents a Critical Kashmir Studies Panel  
on "Resisting Occupation in Kashmir," Ohio University, November 29., "Armed  
Resistance and Civilian Activism in Kashmir," Law and Justice Center, Ohio State  
University, Athens. (November 29, 2018).

- Zia, A., Colloquium Series, ""Kashmir and Mourning"" Colloquium Series, Anthropology Dept, Johns Hopkins April 10," Department of Anthropology, Johns Hopkins. (April 10, 2018).
- Zia, A., Migrant Stories, "Poetry as Ethnographic Surfeit," Trocontinental Solidarity Network, University of Michigan,, Ann Arbor. (March 31, 2018).
- Zia, A., Opticalities, "History and Politics in Kashmir Dispute, Conference, Department of Anthropology, UC San Diego," UN San Diego, Department of Anthropology, La jolla. (March 16, 2018).
- Zia, A., "Of postcolonial cartographies and the line of control in the region of Kashmir, Arizona State University," Arizona State University - Center for the Study of Religion and Conflict, Tempe. (February 2018).
- Zia, A., ""A psychic Border"", Comparative Border Studies Conference, UC Davis, February 14-15." (February 14, 2018).
- Zia, A., "Fragments of Global crises, Spaces of Resistance, Pratt Institute, April 30-May 1." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Guest Lecture, Kashmir is an Idea whose time has come, Department of Anthropology and Sociology AUB, Beirut October 12 [Skype]." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Kashmir in a Postcolonial World, Liberal Arts Program, Northwestern University of Qatar, Oct 16." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Organizer/Leader, Workshop on Ethnographic Poetry, AAA Annual, Washington Nov 26 - 3 Dec." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Panelist, Critical Disaster Studies, AAA Annual, Washington Nov 26- 3 Dec." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Rafto Human Rights Foundation, Bergen, Norway November 4-5 [could not attend]." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Repression & resistance; A Teach in with Suchitra Vijayan, UDAAN-ISRA (Indian Students and Researchers Association), Graduate Center at CUNY, May 4." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Talk & Public Lecture, ""Kashmir in the Shadows of Walls & Barbed-Wires: Postcolonial Contestation over Lives, Lands, Languages, Humanities Institute, Scripps College, Feb 9." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Visiting Lecture Series on Violence, Anthropology Department, UT Knoxville, 08/29-30." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Workshop Leader, How to Write Ethnographic Poetry, Society for Humanistic Anthropology, Annual American Anthropological Association Conference, Minneapolis, November 22." (2017).
- Zia, A., ""Religion, Gender, and the Politics of State Security"", Yale University September 14-16." (2017).
- Zia, A., "Discussant, ""Life & Death"", Annual conference, American Anthropological Association Minneapolis, November 18-22." (2016).

- Zia, A., "Human Rights in Kashmir, Department of Anthropology, UT Knoxville." (2016).
- Zia, A., "Panelist, Cultures of Protest: HCU, JNU and Beyond, South Asia Conference Madison Oct 19." (2016).
- Zia, A., "Panelist, Field in-Verse (inverse): Ethnographic Poetry As Evidence of Ethical Surfeit," Annual conference, American Anthropological Association Minneapolis, November 18-22." (2016).
- Zia, A., "Panelist, Human Rights Legacies in Kashmir at the Himalayan Police Research Pre-Conference South Asia Conference Madison, Oct 20." (2016).
- Zia, A., "Panelist, "2014 Floods in Kashmir," Roundtable on Kashmir, South Asia Conference Madison, October 21-25." (2016).
- Zia, A., "The Work of Mourning: Affective Law and the search for Disappeared in Kashmir" The American University of Beirut's Center for American Studies and Research (CASAR) with the Center for Middle Eastern Studies (CAMES) and the Asfari Institute." (2016).
- Zia, A., "'Human Rights Discourse and Sovereignty in Kashmir," Annual conference, American Anthropological Association Denver, November 18-22." (2016).
- Zia, A., "Keynote Speaker, "Status of Women's rights in Kashmir," Voice of Victims, Kashmir June 3." (2015).
- Zia, A., "Plenary lecture, "Kashmir in context of the MDG's," Webster University, Human Conference Millennium Development Goals, Saint Louis, 7-9 October." (2015).
- Zia, A., "Surviving Counterinsurgency in the borderlands of Kashmir," Women and Gender Studies Conference, Seton Hall University, New Jersey, March 27." (2015).
- Zia, A., "Workshop Leader, Ethnographic Poetry, Society for Humanistic Anthropology, Annual American Anthropological Association Conference, Denver, November 22." (2015).
- Zia, A., "'Collaboration: ways of Occupation in Kashmir, Center for Development, Kashmir, May 30." (2015).
- Zia, A., "'Law and Resistance in Kashmir," Occupational Hazards: Theories and Methodologies, the University of Warwick, London, May 7." (2015).
- Zia, A., "Kashmir: Women's movement and State of law and society," Department of Anthropology, University of California - Irvine, Irvine, California. (2014).
- Zia, A., "'Loss and Agency: The enforced Disappearances in the Kashmir valley - Enactments, Society for Humanistic Anthropology Event, AAA Conference, Washington, December 3-7." (2014).
- Zia, A., "'State of Siege in Kashmir," Center for Asian Studies, UC Irvine, September 6." (2014).
- Zia, A., "'The Tale of Two Engagements: Anthropology and the Human Rights Activism in Kashmir," Anthropological Association of America, Washington, December 3-7." (2014).

- Zia, A., Center for Asian Studies, "State of Siege- Kashmir in the last 25 years," University of California - Irvine. (June 2014).
- Zia, A., Feminist Interventions, "Subjectivity, Search and Human Rights in Kashmir," University of California - Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz, California. (May 2014).
- Zia, A., Global Peace and Conflict Studies, "Making the Case for Affective Law: Women's Activism in Kashmir." (May 2014).
- Zia, A., Inaugural Conference for Junior Researchers at the Stanford Program in Law and Society, "Affective law in a regime of Counter-insurgency," Stanford Law School. (May 2014).
- Zia, A., Self in South Asia, "Spectacles of Self: Politics of Human Rights and Gender in Kashmir," South Asia Studies, UC Chicago, Chicago, Illinois. (April 2014).
- Zia, A., "Half-widow-hood: Concerns and Solutions," Seminar on Politics in Kashmir, Kashmir University, June 2." (2013).
- Zia, A., "Militarization in Kashmir & Human Rights," World Policy Forum, New York, February 2." (2013).
- Zia, A., "'Killable Body & the Politics Disappeared," Institute of Critical Theory, UCI, March 15." (2013).
- Zia, A., "'Search for Justice: Human Rights Violations and Women's Activism in Kashmir, 'Ordinary Lives in a Conflict Zone: Voices from Kashmir,'" India Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla India, December 18." (2013).
- Zia, A. (Panelist), Kashmir Critical Studies Preconference, South Asia Conference, "Militarization, Operation Goodwill and state of law in Kashmir," Madison, Wisconsin. (November 2013).
- Zia, A. (Chair), South Asia Conference, "Invisibilizing Militarization in Kashmir," Critical Kashmir Studies Panel, Madison, Wisconsin. (November 2013).
- Zia, A., Telling Stories of Transition: Interpreting Experiences of Change in Everyday Lives, "Affective Law and Politics of Memory: Women Searching for the Disappeared in Kashmir," School of Global Studies University of Sussex and South Asian Anthropologists Group, UK. (October 2013).
- Zia, A., Second Annual South Asia Graduate Student Conference, "Performing politics: In search the Disappearance in Kashmir," Stanford University. (May 2013).
- Zia, A., Association of Political and Legal Anthropology, "The Good Half -widow: Agency and Women's Human rights Activism in Kashmir," Chicago, Illinois. (April 2013).
- Zia, A., Association of Psychological Anthropology, "Women, mourning and the spectacle of disappearance in Kashmir," San Diego, California. (April 2013).
- Zia, A., Crossing Borders Conference USC, "Performing Agency: The half-widows and mothers in human rights activism in Kashmir." (March 2013).
- Zia, A., Laboring Body, Institute of Critical Theory, UCI, "Politics of Agency: The Association of the Parents of the Disappeared in Kashmir." (March 2013).

- Zia, A., 23rd Annual Thinking Gender Conference, "The Good-Half –Widow," Center for Study of Women, UCLA. (February 2013).
- Zia, A., South Asia Conference, "Women's Politics of Mourning and Agency in Kashmir," Madison, Wisconsin. (November 2012).
- Zia, A., "2011"Human Rights Movement and the case of Disappearances in Kashmir," Center for Citizen Peacebuilding, UC Irvine, October 1." (2011).
- Zia, A., "2011"Women, Patriarchy & Militarization in Kashmir," Resource Center, Kashmir University, July 2." (2011).

#### Non-juried

- Zia, A., Khoon Diyey Baraw - Film on Disappearances, "The Politics of Mourning and Gendered Agency," CeMIS Film Festival. (January 10, 2022).
- Zia, A., Occupation and Surveillance in Kashmir and Palestine: A conversation, "No Right To dignity: The Case of Kashmir," , The Governance Program, Aga Khan University. (October 25, 2021).
- Zia, A., South Asian Theater, "History and Kashmir Post 2019 Abrogation," Theatre History Department of Theatre Arts, College of Communication and Fine Arts, Layola Marymount College. (October 3, 2021).
- Zia, A., Indigenous People's Day, "Kashmir Question & the dispossession of Indigenous people," ICNA. (August 21, 2021).
- Zia, A., Kashmir Post 2019, "Abrogation of Article 370 and fallout," Justice for All. (August 8, 2021).
- Zia, A., Figure of the Abducted Woman: Contemporary Reflections from South Asia, "The case of sikh girls, love, and conversion and Kashmir," Viral Conjunctions. (July 2021).
- Zia, A., Public Talk: Meet the Author, Resisting Disappearance (Book Club), "Overview of the project [Q&A]," Center for Women and Gender Equity, UNCO. (April 21, 2021).
- Zia, A., Book Club on Resisting Disappearance, "Gendered Agency and Resistance in Kashmir," Center for Women and Gender Equity, UNCO. (April 7, 2021).
- Zia, A., Kashmir Awareness Forum, 3/30 2021, "The Role of Daispora in Kashmir Struggle post 2019," KAC. (March 30, 2021).
- Zia, A., The significance of poetry and storytelling in promoting healing in different communities, "Poetry & Healing: A Praxis," In-Sight Collaborative, a charity that supports refugees. (March 28, 2021).
- Zia, A., Writing Kashmir: Literature and Resistance Under Occupation, "Resistance Poetry and the Kashmir Siege," Asian American Writers Workshop at <https://apa.nyu.edu/event/writing-kashmir-literature-and-resistance-under-occupation/>. (December 4, 2019).
- Zia, A., Public Talk, Center for Asian Studies UC BoulderThe Abrogation of Article 370 and the future of Kashmir, "Emergency Teach-in: The Abrogation of Article 370 and

the future of Kashmir." (December 3, 2019).

- Zia, A., Book Talk, "Resisting Disappearance in Kashmir," Department of Anthropology, UC Irvine, Online. (November 17, 2019).
- Zia, A., Under/Stand with Kashmir, "Understanding 1947 in the aftermath of Aug 5 2019," Working Group of Muslim identities and cultures UC Berkeley. (November 15, 2019).
- Zia, A., Indian Democracy in Question: Kashmir Under Siege, "The neocolonial aftermath: Revocation of Article 370 & Article 35-A," Stanford South Asia Society. (November 13, 2019).
- Zia, A., The Kashmir Question,, "The History of 370: Indian constitution in question," Acumen Bangalore. (November 11, 2019).
- Zia, A., Stand With Kashmir Teach In, "Kashmiri Future in Neocolonial India," University of Alberta, Online. (November 9, 2019).
- Zia, A., Annual Feminist Conference, Center for Women's and Gender Equity, "The Spectacle of Gender Discrimination in Indian Occupied Kashmir or how a military annexation becomes acceptable for Indian feminists," CWGE. (November 8, 2019).
- Zia, A., Kashmir Past Present and Future, "Kashmir: A Postcolonial Wound that refuses to heal," Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio. (October 29, 2019).
- Zia, A., Book Talk, "Forcible Disappearances and Resistance in Kashmir," University of Qatar, Online. (October 27, 2019).
- Zia, A., Title: Sexual Warfare | Women and Resistance in Kashmir. Presenters: Ather Zia and Inshah Malik, "Sexual Violence in Kashmir," Womens March Global, [https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=womens%20march%20ather%20zia&epa=SEARCH\\_BOX](https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=womens%20march%20ather%20zia&epa=SEARCH_BOX). (October 23, 2019).
- Zia, A., Occupied Kashmir in Crisis, "The Developmental Aspects of the Siege in Kashmir," Muslim Law Students Association (MLSA) The Journal of Islamic & Near Eastern Law (JINEL), UCLA. (October 14, 2019).
- Zia, A., Stand With Kashmir, "Human Rights and Humanitarian Crisis," Stand With Kashmir, Rolling Hills, LA. (October 12, 2019).
- Zia, A., A Forum on the Most Militarized Region in the World,, "Kashmir: an open air prison," University of Iowa, South AsianStudies. (October 4, 2019).
- Zia, A., "India's Future in Crisis? Kashmir, Assam, and the Fate of Democracy", "Kashmir, Politics and the State," Center for the Study of Religion and Conflict, Arizona State University. (October 3, 2019).
- Zia, A., Kashmir: A Teach-in, "The Unconstitutional Revocation of Kashmir's Autonomy," Women's Gender and Sexuality Studies, Colby. (September 5, 2019).
- Zia, A., A Video Interaction: Ather Zia Speaks on Kashmir, "Speaking Kashmir," Conflictorium: Museum of Conflict, Baroda, Gujarat. (August 24, 2019).
- Zia, A., Diversity Lecture Series, "Kashmir, Information Act & Censorship," Twitter Inc, Boulder. (June 3, 2019).

- Zia, A., Creative Anthropological Methodologies, "Ethnographic Poetry in Anthropological Methodology," Anthropology, UC Irvine. (May 5, 2019).
- Zia, A., Across the Himalayas, Conference on South Asia, "[Declined due to conflict in schedule]," Association of Nepal and Himalayan Studies, Madison. (2018).
- Zia, A., Lecture Series / Davidson College, "Kashmiri Resistance in a Postcolonial World," Department of History, Davidson College, Davidson. (November 5, 2018).
- Zia, A., Book Launch, "Judicial Terrorism in Kashmir in context of Resisting Occupation," The POLIS Project, New York. (September 18, 2018).
- Zia, A., KGNA, Los Angeles, "Resisting Occupation on Kashmir: A look at past and present, Invited Lecture & a separate Book Launch event, Los Angeles 7/31," Kashmiris in North America, Los Angeles. (July 31, 2018).
- Zia, A., "A keynote address, the National Society of Collegiate Scholars (NSCS), UNCO Chapter." (2016).
- Zia, A., "Critical Justice Theory Group," Department of Law and Society UC Irvine, Irvine, California. (2014).
- Zia, A., "Human Rights Movements & the new Intifada in Kashmir," Kashmir Human Rights Forum, Los Angeles, December 10." (2014).
- Zia, A., "Kashmir: Women's movement and State of law and society", Working Title Seminar, Department of Anthropology, UC Irvine, November 30." (2014).
- Zia, A., "2010"Summer of 2010 and new Intifada in Kashmir," Kashmir Human Rights Forum, LA Aug 19." (2010).
- Zia, A., "Dard-pora: The half-widow hamlet" Institute of Social Research Srinagar, India & Kashmir Education relief, LA, March 2." (March 2, 2010).

### **Not Invited**

#### Juried

- Zia, A., Cultures of Occupation, "Exploring the definition of a "collaborator" in the Indian administered Kashmir, Cultures of Occupation: Establishing A Transnational Dialogue'," University of Nottingham, UK, Jan 12-14," University of Nottingham, UK, Jeremy E. Taylor Associate Professor in Modern Asian History. (2018).
- Zia, A., "Panel on Intersectionality [Research Committee 32: Women in Society]. World Sociology Congress, Toronto. July." (2018).
- Zia, A. (Coordinator/Organizer), Canhmann-Taylor, M. (Coordinator/Organizer), Stone, N. (Chair), Zani, L. (Presenter), Anthropological Association of America (AAA), "2018 A Good Year for Good Ethnographic Poetry," Society for Humanistic Anthropology / AAA, San Jose. (November 17, 2018).
- Zia, A., Anthropological Association of America (AAA), "Organizer / Leader, Annual Ethnographic Poetry Workshop," Society for Humanistic Anthropology / AAA, San Jose. (November 16, 2018).
- Zia, A., Co-organizer, Full Day Symposium, "Zones of Occupation, Abandonment and

Exception in South Asia/Provisionality and Vulnerabilities in South Asia," Annual South Asia Conference, Madison. (October 12, 2018).

Zia, A., Writing Kashmir from Now towards grasping ontology of the present in Kashmir-making with Rafiq Kathwari, "Indian nationalism and myth-making around Kashmir Accession: An Anthropological Perspective," South Asia Conference Madison, Madison. (October 12, 2018).

Zia, A., South Asia Conference Madison, "Gender & Militarization in a Neoliberal India," Critical Kashmir Studies & SA Madison, Madison. (2017).

Zia, A., "Political and Social Issues in Kashmir, Annual Feminist Conference, University of Northern Colorado Greeley, Oct 29." (2015).

Zia, A., 113th Annual Meeting Anthropological Association of America, "Anthropology of the Heart," Washington, DC. (December 2014).

Zia, A., South Asia Conference Annual Meeting, "Critical Resistance in the Digital Age," Madison, Wisconsin. (November 2014).

#### Non-juried

Zia, A., Annual Conference on South Asia, UW-Madison/Virtual, "Muslims and Resistance in South Asia: History, Culture, and Politics," South Asian Muslim Studies Association (SAMSA) Symposium. (October 20, 2021).

Zia, A., Enforced Disappearances Across the Globe, "Enforced Disappearance: A festering wound in Kashmir," Coalition Against Prisons. (January 8, 2021).

Zia, A., "'It is my right not to vote'," "The Personal is Political: 96 Years of Women's Right to Vote" Annual Feminist Conference, University of Northern Colorado Greeley, Oct 27." (2016).

Zia, A., "Women & Activism: A view from South Asia." Annual Women's Conference, University of Northern Colorado Greeley, November 14." (2014).

Zia, A., Kashmir Human Rights Forum, "Human Rights Movements and the new Intifada in Kashmir," Los Angeles, California. (November 2013).

Zia, A., Ordinary Lives in a Conflict Zone: Voices from Kashmir, "Search for Justice: Human Rights Violations and Women's Activism in Kashmir," India Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla India. (June 2013).

Zia, A. (Author), 4th Global Conference- Making Sense of Pain, Prague, Czech Republic, "Pain & Mourning in Kashmir." (May 2013).

Zia, A., World Policy Forum, "Militarization in Kashmir & Human Rights," New York, New York. (February 2013).

Zia, A., MERC, Seminar on Politics in Kashmir, "Half-widow-hood: Concerns and Solutions," Kashmir University, Kashmir, India. (August 2012).

Zia, A., "Women in mainstream: Patriarchy and Conflict in Kashmir," State Resource Center, Kashmir University, Kashmir, India. (November 2011).

Zia, A., "Human Rights Movement and the case of Disappearances in Kashmir," Center

for Citizen Peacebuilding - UC Irvine, Irvine, California. (September 2011).

Zia, A., India & Kashmir Education relief, "Dard-pora: The widow hamlet at the Border in Kashmir," Institute of Social Research Srinagar, Los Angeles, California. (November 2010).

## Media Contributions

### Internet

Mulakaat Ganimat - Poetry Program. (2021).

Podcast, 2020My Life's journey, Interview with Beenish Ahmed, Gulposh. (2021).

South Asian Memory Work - Nityasya Belapurkar. (September 2021).

POC Stories with Aysa. (July 17, 2021).

Podcast, Kashmir: Normalization of Occupation. (January 1, 2021).

Podcast, Episode Eight: Busting Myths, Exposing Truth: India's Settler Colonialism in Kashmir. (December 2020).

Conflictorium takeover Wrap up Interview with Avani Sethi, 7/30. (July 30, 2020).

Hosh Ruba, Instagram Live with Dan Hussain, Poetry: on Kashmir. (April 2020).

Podcast. (April 18, 2020).

I am often interviewed across platforms (newspapers, TV, radio) of international, national, regional and national scope in India, US, Kashmir, and other places. Below is a sampling. Some feature me as experts on South Asia/Kashmir and some are focused on my research work, activism, and writing

Ethnographic Poetry: A Conversation with Ather Zia, Allegra Labs. (March 25, 2019).

UNC Podcasts: Critical Kashmir Part 1 - Bear in Mind Podcast Episode 33. (2018).

"Migrant Stories" WoC Poetry by Miranda Garcia in The Chapati Mystery. (2018).

Critical Kashmir Part 2 - Bear in Mind Podcast Episode 34. (2018).

### Magazine

Book Review of Resisting Disappearance, in Feminist Magazine. (December 11, 2020).

Prose, Poetry, Pain, Pathos Verses with razor-sharp words and thoughts are cutting through the post-370 winter in the Valley. (November 23, 2020).

What does Anthropology Sound Like? (October 27, 2020).

2020A tape put on our mouths' – what it's like being a Kashmiri woman in the world's longest lockdown, Interview with Sunny Shergill, Gal-dem.com. (September 2020).

New Books Out Now, Jadaliyaa, Interview. (August 2020).

Anuradha Bhasin: In Kashmir, The Surreal Is Very Real Now, Interview, Adi Magazine, (July 2020).

Crossed Lines, Dial a Poem, Interview with Ather Zia, UK. (May 2020).

Interview in Organization of Defending Victims of Violence, Title: Kashmiris fear the specter of demographic change in the region, Interviewed by Kouroush Zaibari, (September 30, 2019).

Interview, Women's Media center, Title: Kashmir under siege and women are under crossfire, Interviewed by Payal Dhar. (September 25, 2019).

Interview on Ethnographic Poetry and Research in Chapati Mystery. (March 25, 2019).

[Featured expert] Jadaliyya, Civilian versus Militant: Kashmir, Islam, and the Brewing IndoPak War. (March 6, 2019).

The Polis Project: Antropoesia - Curated Ethnographic Poetry. (November 26, 2018).

Agents of Change, The Citizen [featured work]. (February 9, 2018).

Migrant Stories: WoC Poetry Night at UM by Miranda Garcia, Chapati Mystery, (November 15, 2001).

## **Newspaper**

Poets of Kashmir: Inspiration and the Artistic Process, Saadia Peerzada. (September 15, 2021).

Women's Activism in Kashmir: Ather Zia's book about Resisting Disappearance. (November 20, 2020).

Women's Activism in Kashmir: Ather Zia's book about Resisting Disappearance, Rounak Bhat, Free Press Kashmir. (October 23, 2020).

The Policy, Times, A political issue needs a political solution, Interviewed by Nandika Chand, (January 19, 2019).

News 101 Reporters "Art as Dissent" - [Featured]. (2018).

Pro Republica 'Facebook's Secret Censorship Rules Protect White Men From Hate Speech But Not Black Children' [interviewed] by Julie Angwin & Hannes Grassegger 06/28. (2017).

Greater Kashmir, [interview] Greater Kashmir, Talks only meaningful when held with separatist leadership: Joint Civil Society, Nov 4. (November 4, 2017).

Kashmir Narrator, Have Kashmiri Lost Their Humanity, [interview] by Asif Sultan. (September 25, 2017).

Hindustan Times, 'Warmest Place on Earth': Kashmir releases tourism video to counter negative Portrayal [interview by] Abishek Saha. (September 9, 2017).

Greeley Tribune, Greeley Tribune, Through Another Lens by Tyler Sylvie 10/09. (October 9, 2016).

Himal Magazine: Autonomy under Siege [interview] by Freny Maneckshaw 01/7. (July 1, 2013).

Friday Times, Lost in Kashmir, interview by Zafar Mehdi. (June 1, 2013).

## Radio

- Kashmir, A Thousand Channels, Colomboscope -Episode 2. (2021).
- Home is an Irrevocable condition, Radio Cashmere (Berlin). (September 24, 2021).
- Line of Truth with Ratnadeep Chakraborty, Episode 2: Ather Zia and Mohamad Junaid. (December 2019).
- Episode 28: Ather Zia The Feminifesto Podcast Oct 24. (October 24, 2019).
- Episode 12, In conversation with Ather Zia, Counter-narratives on Kashmir and the myth of normalcy, Noor Greshma. (October 18, 2019).
- Occupied Kashmir: Poetry and Disappearance: A new episode of AAWW Radio with guests Ather Zia, Hafsa Kanjwal, and Sameetah Agha, (October 9, 2019).
- Resisting Disappearance, New Books Network, Interview with SherAli Tareen. (October 8, 2019).
- Kashmir Special, Inspire FM Luton Aug 30. (August 30, 2019).
- Episode 72, The Kashmiri Intifada, East is a Podcast. (August 22, 2019).
- Stand With Kashmir, Apex Express with Tara Dorabji & Preeti Shekhar, KPFA. (August 22, 2019).
- Top of the Mind with Julie Rose, BYU Radio Sirius Xm. (August 20, 2019).
- KPFA, Upfront with Cat Brooks. (August 7, 2019).
- Kashmir: India Tomorrow. (April 23, 2019).
- Kashmir Crisis: @aziakashmir talks about the student-led #uprisings in India-occupied #Kashmir, with Matt de Mello Sparemin Podcasts. (May 16, 2017).
- Interview, Free Khurram. (October 7, 2016).
- International Women's Day, KPFA's La Onda Bajita. (March 9, 2015).
- KPFA, Disappearances in Kashmir, Kashmir Speaks, KPFA's La Onda Bajita. (March 26, 2013).

## TV

- The Heat: Is an India-Pakistan Detente Likely?, The Heat, CGTV. (April 2, 2021).
- The Stream, Aljazeera (Segment on Kashmir). (2020).
- Unpacked (Segment on Kashmir) DW News. (2020).
- 2020Indus TV [various episodes Eijaz Haider, Meshaal Malik, Waqar Rizwi]. (2020).
- The Ruwa Shah Show, Salam Media. (2020).
- What is going on in Kashmir, Start Here, Episode 7 with Sandra Cathman, Al Jazeera. (December 2019).

News Wire with Ayza Omar | PM Imran Khan in China | Kashmir Crisis | US-China Trade War | Ep 141 | Oct 9, 2019. (October 9, 2019).

Dawn TV, Interview with Zarar Khuhro. (September 2019).

Sairbeen, BBC with Aliya Nazki. (September 24, 2019).

Scope with Waqar Rizvi | Modi Sued in Houston | Trudeau's Brown face Mask Controversy | Indus News, Sep 21. (September 21, 2019).

News Wire with Ayza Omar | Kashmir Unrest | Afghan Peace Process | Ep 132 | Indus News, Sep 18. (September 18, 2019).

Awaz Today, Sawal Se Agay with Mujahid Barelvi 8 Sep. (September 8, 2019).

Weapons of War? Kashmiri Women Under Siege, DW News Sep 2. (September 2, 2019).

The Globe, Analysis of Kashmir Crisis, SABC Digital News. (August 24, 2019).

Kashmir Situation, Indus Special with Meshal Malik. (August 21, 2019).

Voices from Kashmir with Peter Friedrich. (August 17, 2019).

The Heat with Nathan Kind, CGTV. (August 15, 2019).

The Globe, Analysis of Kashmir Crisis, SABC Digital News. (August 14, 2019).

Outside Source, BBC World. (August 8, 2019).

The Heat with Anand Naidoo, CGTV. (August 8, 2019).

The Whole Truth with Shams Rehman, JKTV Live. (March 19, 2019).

Free Press Kashmir, A Video on Armed Forces Special Powers Act. (April 29, 2018).

Discussing Kashmir Issue on Takbeer TV-Sky 834 (UK) with Shaghofa Akhtar. (June 7, 2017).

Is Kashmir's self-determination on cards? Upfront Newshour with Mehdi Hassan, Aljazeera America. (December 10, 2016).

## **Other**

The crisis in Kashmir part 1 & 2 Brewing Headlines. (January 5, 2021).

## **Research in Progress**

"Engaged Anthropology Project with Jammu & Kashmir Coalition of Civil Society" (On-Going).  
Initiated through Wenner Gren Engaged Anthropology grant and the second phase was to commence in Summer 2018-2019 which has been delayed due to paperwork issues/risks per my travel to India and Kashmir. [Please see the narrative for the section on Immigration Status for more details.]

"Hum Kya Chahtey: State of Post-colonial Siege [RDFD]" (On-Going).  
The Research Dissemination & Faculty Development Grant, UNCO Greeley, has awarded me a grant for commencing fieldwork for this project. The deliverable for this project will be published in a Special Issue on South Asia. However, further fieldwork has been pending

[Please see the narrative for the section on Immigration issues for more details on travel issues to India/Kashmir. The grant was extended till 2021. I am in the process of finding the status in the context of Covid travel restrictions. I have received a green card since but issues pertaining to my travel remain.

"Senior Scholar with the Initiative on Political Conflict, Gender and People's Rights at the Center for Race and Gender, UC Berkeley" (On-Going).

"Sensorium Project: Relating Otherwise: From Kashmiriyat to Solidarity" (On-Going).

A collaborative project was conducted through Critical Kashmir Studies [CKS]. The research group that I have co-founded. As part of 4 action research was completed between 2017-2019, the Sensorium project completed phase 1. We did pilot workshops in 2016 and 2017. The deliverable for this project was a co-authored paper with Mona Bhan and Deepti Misri which was published in *Biographical Research*, 2020. The second phase of this research has not test commenced due to Covid delay and travel restrictions.

"Wenner Gren Engaged Anthropology Grant" (On-Going).

Project to work with the research community in Kashmir (started in 2016). Applying research findings in aspects of litigation support, issues around property and fundraising for the human rights organization.

## **CONTRACTS, FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS AND SPONSORED RESEARCH**

### **Funded**

Zia, A., "Flipped Classroom Conference [HSS Sponsored]," Sponsored by HSS, University of Northern Colorado. (June 2019).

Zia, A., "RDFD 2017 [Extension till 10/31/2020; not commenced due to travel paperwork delays]," University of Northern Colorado. (June 2017 - June 2019).

Zia, A., "PATS." (2017).

Zia, A., "Wenner Gren Engaged Anthropology Grant," Sponsored by Wenner Gren Foundation, Private, \$5,000.00. (May 2016 - December 2016).

Zia, A., "RDFD," Sponsored by Office of Research, University of Northern Colorado. (May 2015 - December 2015).

Zia, A., "PATS." (2015).

Zia, A., "PATS." (2015).

Zia, A., "PATS." (2015).

Zia, A., "Summer Support Initiative," \$3,000.00. (June 2015 - September 2015).

Zia, A., "ASATS," University of Northern Colorado. (2014).

Talbot, C., Newman, H., Zia, A., "Assessment Mini-Grant," Sponsored by Office of Assessment, University of Northern Colorado, University of Northern Colorado, \$1,147.00. (2014).

Zia, A., "DARD MAGNUS Writing Fellowship." (2013).

Zia, A., "Global Peace and Conflict Studies (GPACS) Fellowship," Sponsored by University of California - Irvine. (2013).

Zia, A., "Center for Asian Studies (CAS) Writing and Fieldwork Grant," Sponsored by University of California - Irvine. (2013).

Zia, A., "International Phi Beta Kappa Dissertation Writing award," Sponsored by University of California - Irvine. (2013).

Zia, A., "Associate Deans Dissertation Writing Fellowship," Sponsored by University of California - Irvine. (2012 - 2013).

Zia, A., "International Fieldwork Fellowship," Sponsored by American Association of University Women. (2011 - 2012).

Zia, A., "Resident Fellowship for fieldwork," Sponsored by University of Kashmir. (2011 - 2012).

Zia, A., "Wenner Gren Dissertation Fieldwork Grant & Osmundsen Initiative." (2011 - 2012).

Zia, A., "Global Peace and Conflict Studies (GPACS) Fellowship," Sponsored by University of California - Irvine. (2011).

Zia, A., "Center for Asian Studies (CAS) Writing and Fieldwork Grant," Sponsored by University of California - Irvine. (2011).

Zia, A., "Kugelman Fellowship, Center for Citizen Peacebuilding," Sponsored by University of California - Irvine. (2010 - 2011).

Zia, A., "Global Peace and Conflict Studies (GPACS) Fellowship," Sponsored by University of California - Irvine. (2010).

Zia, A., "Fieldwork Grant," Sponsored by International Peace Research Association Foundation. (2010).

Zia, A., "Human Rights Fellow," Sponsored by Human Rights Center Berkeley. (2009).

Zia, A., "International Fellow," Sponsored by College of Communications, Cal State Fullerton. (2004 - 2005).

Zia, A., "Fellow," Sponsored by Women in Security Conflict Management and Peace, New Delhi. (2001 - 2003).

Zia, A., "Fellow," Sponsored by State Resource Center, Dehradun, India. (2001).

Zia, A., "Human Rights Fellowship," Sponsored by State Resource Center, (RLEK), Dehradun, India. (2001).

Zia, A., "Poetry Grant," Sponsored by Cultural Academy of Arts, and Languages of Kashmir. (1999).

#### **Not Funded**

Zia, A., "Malkiel Fellowship [Did not receive]," Sponsored by Woodrow Wilson, Other, \$10,000.00.

Costa, D. D. (Principal), Zia, A. (Collaborator), "Unsettling Responsibilities: Indigeneity and Caste in a Transnational Frame [Did not receive, resubmitting]," Sponsored by Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Other, \$204,163.00.

## TEACHING

### Teaching Experience

#### University of Northern Colorado

##### Courses Taught:

ANT 110, Introduction to Cultural Anthropology, 15 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

ANT 314, Anthropology of Sex and Gender Diversity, 4 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

ANT 316, Global Conflict and Gender, 2 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

ANT 422, Directed Studies, 6 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

ANT 492, Internship, 1 course. 6.00 credit hours.

ASIA 392, Internship in Asian Studies, 1 course. 3.00 credit hours.

GNDR 101, Gender and Society, 9 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

GNDR 285, Gender in the Contemporary Global Order, 16 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

GNDR 316, Global Conflict and Gender, 2 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

GNDR 422, Directed Studies, 2 courses. 3.00 credit hours.

GNDR 492, Internship, 1 course. 3.00 credit hours.

New Programs Developed/Major Program Revision: 4 courses.

CETL Workshop

Curriculum

Women Studies Department, Kashmir University

#### Kashmir University

##### Courses Taught:

Kashmir: An Anthropological review, 1 course.

### Academic Advising

Fall 2019: 18 undergraduate students advised, 2 graduate students advised.

Spring 2019: 17 undergraduate students advised, 1 graduate students advised.

Fall 2018: 16 undergraduate students advised, 1 graduate students advised.

Spring 2018: 18 undergraduate students advised.

### Directed Student Learning

Doctoral Advisory Committee Member. (August 2019 - Present).

Advised: William Hardner

Doctoral Advisory Committee Member. (August 3, 2018 - Present).  
Advised: Courtney Long

Undergraduate Honors Thesis. (2018 - Present).  
Advised: Grace Davis

Internship Advisor. (December 15, 2021).  
Advised: Kehaulani Lagunero

Doctoral Advisory Committee Member. (2018 - 2020).  
Advised: External Advisor to Amit Kumar

Supervised Teaching Activity. (2019).  
Advised: Emma Rogers

Supervised Teaching Activity. (2018).  
Advised: 4 Directed Studies [See Teaching section for details] Gabrielle Scott, Logan Meyers, Daniela Thompson, Emma Roberts

Supervised Teaching Activity. (2018).  
Advised: Emma Rogers & Dani Thompson / Dr. Talbot and I collaborated with the CWGE to mentor students from Gender Studies students to present in the Annual Feminist Conference.

Supervised Teaching Activity. (2017 - 2018).  
Advised: Rugya Sweidan

Directed Individual/Independent Study. (2016 - 2018).  
Advised: Emily Doerner [Forest cover in Kashmir and Indian military occupation] - presented at South Asia conference Madison, 2018 [co-panelists]

Directed Individual/Independent Study. (May 2018 - July 2018).  
Advised: Peace Fellowship, Robin Morris [Sexual Violence under Militarization, JKCCS]

Supervised Research. (January 1, 2018 - April 27, 2018).  
Advised: Haley Eicher

Master's Thesis Committee Member. (2016 - 2017).  
Advised: Pulama Mukerjee

Undergraduate Honors Thesis. (2016).  
Advised: Emily Doerner

Supervised Research. (May 2016 - August 2016).  
Advised: Emily Doerner

Supervised Research. (2015).  
Advised: Alexander Sherwin

## **Non-Credit Instruction**

Mentor Annie Wright, UNC Honors program, 1 participant. (August 27, 2021 - 2023).

Mentor Helen Kiros, Mcnair fellowsip, 1 participant. (August 2022).

Mentor Elsa Yehdego, Mcnair fellows program, 1 participant. (August 2019 - December 2020).

Mentor Alexander Sherwin, Mcnair Fellowship, 1 participant. (2014 - 2015).

## **SERVICE**

### **University Service**

Faculty Mentor, Students for Political Awareness. (2019 - Present).

Reviewer, Reviewer Mcnair Scholars Paper Competition. (2019).

UNC Newsroom Expert [<https://www.unco.edu/news/newsroom/expert/ather-zia.aspx>]. (2019).

Committee Member, Team UNC. (2017 - May 2019).

Guest Speaker, Diversity on UNC campus, panel / "I want the Wide American Earth- Smithsonian exhibit" by Asian Pacific Student Services. (March 5, 2018).

Consulting Editor, Student Views WRC Newsletter. (2015 - 2017).

### **College Service**

Committee Member, Program Review Committee (Gender Studies program). (2016 - Present).

Committee Member, Search Committee for Student Success Coaches. (June 2019 - 2019).

Committee Member, Hewitt Committee. (2017 - May 2019).

Guest Speaker, Guest Lecture/s [Asian Studies]. (2018).

Awardee/Attendee HSS Convocation / Diversity Award Ceremony. (April 8, 2018).

### **Department Service**

Attendee, Meeting, UNCO Faculty of Color (group). (2021 - Present).

Faculty Mentor, Collaborations with Gender and Sexuality Resource Center for Ethnographic projects / Transgender Day of Remembrance and Resilience / PUGS Webzine. (2018 - Present).

Editor at Large & Faculty founder / Undergraduate Researchers Making Anthropology More Accessible (URMAMA) [name to be changed in 2020]. (January 2018 - Present).

Editor at Large / Faculty Founder PUGS (Popularizing Undergraduate Gender Studies). (2018 - Present).

Faculty Mentor, Faculty Mentor Anthropology Club. (2018 - Present).

Organized/attended meetings with the former Women's Resource center now Center for Women's & Gender Equity exploring collaboration options with Gender Studies. (2018 - Present).

Peace Fellowship - Concept/Co-ordinator [2016-2018]. (2016 - Present).

Program Coordinator, Social Media Coordinator Anthropology and Gender Studies. (2016 - Present).

Committee Member, Asian Studies Committee. (2014 - Present).

Faculty Mentor, Coordinated and participated in Student Editor's Interview with Deborah Moore from University Relations Magazine. (2019 - December 2021).

Faculty Mentor, Faculty Mentor Gender Studies Club. (2019 - 2020).

Committee Member, Program Review and Assessment Committee. (2017 - 2020).

Attended faculty meetings/social events. (2019).

Co-represented Anthropology at UNC's Destination Fair. (2019).

GS 285 LAC Assessment tasks / Ethnographic statement ANT 110 / Guest Lectures. (2019).

Informational phone meetings with possible freshman students. (2019).

Interviewed by Deborah Moors for University Relations [to be published]. (2019).

Participated in the Rainbow Flag Campaign [with Gender and Sexuality Research Center]. (2019).

Faculty Mentor, Attended Research Day. (April 2019).

Attendee, Convocation, Co-represented Anthropology at Honors Day Convocation. (April 14, 2019).

Proposed Collaborations with Dr. Alethea Stovall, Director [She left UNC in 2018 and contact with the new director will be established in 2019], Asian Pacific Student Services. (2018).

Attendee, Award Ceremony, Center for Women's and Gender Equity Annual Recognition [formerly WRC]. (April 17, 2018 - 2018).

Contributed to GS285/ANT 110 LAC Assessment tasks. (2018).

Committee Member, Contributed to setting the Testing-Out Exams for ANT 110 (with Dr. Whitney Duncan & Trish Jolly) and GS 101 (with Dr. Chris Talbot & Dr. Harmony Newman). (2018).

Featured on Why I give, Team UNC. (2018).

Committee Member, Grant Reviewer for Dr. Kimball's World Learning project. (2018).

Student Views Consulting Editor - [CWGE, formerly Women's Resource Center or WRC] Newsletter. (2015 - 2018).

Faculty Mentor, Mentor, Peace Fellow 2018, Robin Morris. (May 2018 - July 2018).

## **Program Service**

Attendee, Meeting, Mcnair's Banquet. (September 30, 2021).

Faculty Advisor, Book Club [CWGE conducted a semester long book club on my ethnography on Resisting Disappearance]. (February 2021 - May 2021).

Attendee and Presented at the Center for Women's and Gender Equity, Annual Feminist

conference. (November 8, 2019).

## **School Service**

Attendee, Convocation, Commencement [Banner Bearer]. (May 9, 2021).

## **Professional Service**

Member, Goethe Institute [Expert]. (2021 - Present).

Member, Front Range Faculty/Inducted to Speaker's Bureau. (2014 - Present).

Reviewer, Journal Article, Peer Reviewer for Journals Cultural Anthropologist, Humanities, WSQ at Feminist Press, Political and Legal Anthropology Review, Asia Mair, Himalaya Journal, Anthropology and Humanism, Victims and Violence and Journal of Material Culture. (2014 - Present).

Editor, Associate Editor, Cultural Anthropology Journal [Editor, Editorial Collective]. (2021 - 2025).

Board member [elected], Society for Humanistic Anthropology. (2018 - 2022).

Editor, Book, Book Review Editor / Association of Feminist Anthropology [AFA]. (2018 - 2021).

Editorial Review Board Member, Journal Asia Mair. (2018 - 2021).

Social Media Editor / Editorial Associate, Poetry Section, Anthropology and Humanism Journal. (2018 - 2020).

Reviewer, Grant Proposal, Swiss National Science Foundation. (2019).

Chairperson, Victor Turner Poetry Prize (Society for Humanistic Anthropology) Chairperson (2017-2021). (2019).

Board member / Secretary Association for Nepal and Himalayan Studies (ANHS). (2018 - 2019).

Member, Executive Board Member (elected) (2015-2017) & (2018-2021) Society of Humanistic Anthropology (SHA) of the Anthropological Association of America. (2015 - 2019).

Letters of Recommendation for students (UNC/Non-UNC), and colleagues. (2014 - 2019).

Judge, Fisher Book Prize, Judge, Fisher Book Prize / Association for Nepal and Himalayan Studies (ANHS). (2018).

Program Organizer, Lead and organized Ethnographic Poetry Workshop & co-organized an poetry Installation at AAA (San Jose), San Jose. (November 2018).

Co-founder of this project with SHA, "Enactments," an ethnographic poetry project with Dr. Melisa Canhmann Taylor & Dr. Nomi Stone. (2015 - 2017).

Member, Victor Turner Prize Committee (2013), Society of Humanistic Anthropology, American Anthropological Association. (2013).

## **Public/Community Service**

Co-Founder/Director/Coordinator, The Kashmir Project. (2014 - Present).

Co-founder / Program Coordinator / Website Manager, Critical Kashmir Studies Collective. (2012 - Present).

Coordinator (Webgroup), WorldPulse. Org. (2009 - Present).

Member, Jammu Kashmir Coalition of Civil Society. (2003 - Present).

Co-Founder, Kashmir Women's Initiative for Peace and Disarmament. (2000 - Present).

Member, Stand With Kashmir. (2019 - 2023).

Co-founder & Research Consultant, Free Kashmiri Political Prisoners. (2014).

Co-Founder/member, Kashmir Women's Collaborative. (2011).

Coordinator, Siyasar Aurat (Women's) Foundation for victims of rape, Kashmir. (2006 - 2011).

Co-Founder/member, Kashmir Human Rights Foundation. (2004 - 2011).

Co-Founder & Member, Yakja - Women's Empowerment Project, Kashmir. (2002 - 2007).

Founder Member/Associate, Women's Meet, Women in Security Conflict Management and Peace (Wiscomp), & Women's Workshop. (2003 - 2006).

Co-Founder Member/Associate, Project Athwaas (handshake), Women in Security Conflict Management and Peace (Wiscomp), & Women's Workshop. (2000 - 2005).

Nodal Officer, Project PPERA (Empowerment Programs for Women), Kashmir University & South Asian Foundation. (2003 - 2004).

Development Officer, Dept. of Rural Development and Community service, Government of Kashmir. (2002 - 2004).

## **Consulting**

Academic, Legal Clinic, Columbia Law School. (November 12, 2018 - Present).

Non-Profit Organization, Rafto Foundation for Human Rights, Bergen, Norway. (2017 - Present).

Non-Profit Organization, The Ladishah Kashmir Oral History Project, Buffalo, NJ, USA. (2014 - Present).

Non-Profit Organization, Free Kashmiri Political Prisoners, Kashmir. (2010 - Present).

Non-Profit Organization, Jammu Kashmir Coalition of Civil Society, Kashmir. (2009 - Present).

Non-Profit Organization, Online Action Group on Kashmir, World Pulse at [www.worldPulse.org](http://www.worldPulse.org). (2009 - Present).

Non-Profit Organization, Association of Parents of Disappeared Persons, Kashmir, India. (August 2004 - Present).

Non-Profit Organization, Kashmir Human Rights Foundation, Los Angeles, CA, USA. (2004 - Present).

Non-Profit Organization, Center for Kashmir, Buffalo. (January 2020 - 2023).

Non-Profit Organization, Jammu & Kashmir Coalition of Civil Society, Kashmir. (February 6, 2018 - 2020).

Non-Governmental Organization (NGO), Rafto prize by Rafto Foundation for Human Rights, Bergen, Norway. (2017).

Non-Profit Organization, Project Athwaas (Handshake) & Annual Workshop, Women in Security Conflict Management and Peace, New Delhi. (2001 - 2007).

Non-Governmental Organization (NGO), Nodal Officer, Project PPERA (Empowerment Programs for Women), (2003 - 2004).

Government, Kashmir University State resource Center. (2000 - 2001).

### **DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES ATTENDED**

Continuing Education Program, "Faculty Learning Community," CETL, UNC [Molly Jameson and Elizabeth Gilbert]. (August 2019 - Present).

"CETL Peer to Peer FLC," CETL. (2020 - 2021).

Workshop, "2019 Higher Education Flipped Learning Conference @ UNC," <https://unco.irisregistration.com/Home/Site?code=unco-FLA2019>. (June 2019).

Workshop, "Campus Security Authorities training," Campus Police, trainer Rebecca Thompson. (April 1, 2019).

Workshop, "4-0560 PUBLISHING A PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLE: THOUGHTS FROM A JOURNAL EDITOR," Hosted by: American Ethnological Society [10:30-12:30], San Jose, California, US. (November 16, 2018).

Workshop, "Teaching Anthropology," Hosted by American Ethnological Society [8-10 am], San Jose, California, US. (November 16, 2018).

Workshop, "How Learning Happens and What It Means for Effective Teaching," CETL UNCO, Greeley, CO, United States. (October 3, 2018).

Workshop, "Lunch & Learn Forum: Useful Tips for Faculty Advising." (March 27, 2018).

Workshop, "Taking Stock: Peace and Conflict Resolution Efforts 1989-2010," Jammu Kashmir Coalition of Civil Society. (2012).

Workshop, "Envisioning New Role: Women towards Peace Politics," Jammu Kashmir Coalition of Civil Society. (2011).

Workshop, "Resolving Conflict and Thinking Peace: The Way forward for the family of the disappeared," Jammu Kashmir Coalition of Civil Society. (2009).

Workshop, "International Human Rights and Women's Rights Framework: Applications in Kashmir," Kashmir Relief (KHRF), Los Angeles, California. (2007).

Workshop, "Conflict Resolution & Peace," Women in Security Conflict Management and Peace (WISCOMP). (2001 - 2003).

Conference Attendance, "Women's as Peace Builders," Development Conference for Panchayat Raj Officials, NIRD. (2002).

Workshop, "Creating Constituencies of Peace," Women in Security Conflict Management and Peace (WISCOMP). (2002).

Workshop, "Annual Conflict Transformation," Women in Security Conflict Management and Peace (WISCOMP). (2001 - 2002).

Workshop, "Conflict Management with Kashmir Peace Partners Initiative," Fletcher School of Diplomacy & CMG group. (2001).

## **AWARDS AND HONORS**

### **Leadership**

Featured in Femilist 2021 [100 women from the Global South], Gender Security project. (April 1, 2021).

### **Scholarship/Research**

Rosaldo Book Prize, Honorable Mention, Association for Feminist Anthropology. (November 11, 2021).

Advocate of the Year, Justice for All. (May 5, 2021).

College Scholar Award, School of Social Sciences. (May 1, 2021).

Engaged Scholar Award, HSS UNCO Greeley. (2020).

Gloria Anzaldua Honorable Mention Award, National Women's Studies Association, (2020).

2014Fifty Anthropology Dissertations with Global Focus, Anthropology Works, George Washington University, Anthropology Works, George Washington University. (December 2014).

Second place prize for ethnographic poetry titled "An ex-fighter returns", Society of Humanistic Anthropology, Anthropologists Association of America. (2013).

### **Service**

Conferred by the UNC chapter: Honorary Member, National Society of Collegiate Scholars (NSCS). (May 8, 2018).

Nominated for: Inspiring Woman Award 2015 [Inspiring Faculty Nominee], Women's Resource Center UNCO. (April 2015).

### **Teaching**

Nominated for: Faculty Diversity in Classroom, HSS UNCO. (December 5, 2018).

HSS Diversity in the Classroom Award, HSS UNCO. (April 8, 2018).

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

Society of Humanistic Anthropology, American Anthropological Association. (2012 - Present).

Association of Political and Legal Anthropologists. (2009 - Present).

American Anthropologists Association. (2008 - Present).

Association of Feminist Anthropologists. (2007 - Present).

American Academy of Religion. (2021 - 2022).

Rockey Mountain Modern Language Association. (2021 - 2022).

Association of American Geographers. (2020 - 2021).