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DR. MUHAMMAD ZEESHAN ZAFAR

OBJECTIVE

A committed management faculty member with over 10 years of experience possessing excellent administrative, verbal communication and written skills along with constructive and effective teaching methods that promotes a stimulating learning environment. Able to work in a managerial role or as part of team and having the proven ability to successfully work in tight schedules and deadlines. Self-motivated with strong planning, organizational and leadership skills.

EDUCATION

[2014-2018]

[2008-2009]

University Utara Malaysia, Malaysia

PhD(Marketing)

HEC-Approved Supervisor

Uppsala University, Sweden

MS-International Management

[2004 to 2006] COMSATS Institute of Information Technology

MBA (Marketing)

CGPA 3.4 (Gold Medal)

[2000] Govt. Commerce College, Sargodha

B.Com

[1998] PAF College, Chaklala

Fsc

WORK EXPERIENCE

[May 2022 to date] University of Chakwal

Assistant Professor (BPS-19)

[August 2019 to April 2022] University of Central Punjab

Assistant Professor

[June 2018 to July 2019] Minhaj University Lahore

Assistant Professor/Head of Department

[2011 to February 2018] University of Lahore

Assistant Professor/Head of Department

[2006 to 2008] COMSATS, Abbottabad

Lecturer

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- **Zafar, M. Z.**, Maqbool, A., Cioca, L. I., Shah, S. G. M., & Masud, S. (2021). Accentuating the Interrelation between Consumer Intention and Healthy Packaged Food Selection during COVID-19: A Case Study of Pakistan. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 18(6), 2846. (**Impact Factor 3.39, HEC Recognized W category**)
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- **Zafar, M. Z.**, Zahid, H., Arshad, I., Imran, M., Muzaffar, S., & Im, L. C. (2021). Individual's Own Consent and External Support Shape Consumer Decision towards Healthy Packaged Food Intention. *REVISTA GEINTEC-GESTAO INOVACAO E TECNOLOGIAS* (**ISSN 2237-0722**), 11(4), 1980-1996.
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- Qurat ul Ain, Tamoor Azam, Tahir Yousaf, **Muhammad Zeeshan Zafar** and Yasmeen Akhtar (2021). Mood Sensitive Stocks and Sustainable Cross-sectional Returns during COVID 19 Pandemic: An analysis of Day of the Week Effect in Chinese A-Share Market. *Frontier in Psychology, Organizational Psychology* Vol 18, pp 1-7 (**Impact Factor 2.99, HEC Recognized W category**)

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- Zafar, M. Z., Hashim, N. A., Halim, F. B., & Attique, S. (2020). Factors Affecting on Healthy Package Food Selection; The Impact of Personality Traits. *Abasyn University Journal of Social Sciences*, 13(1). (ISSN: 1998-152X)
- Munir M., Attiq S., **and Zafar M. Z (2020).** Can Incidence of Workplace Bullying Really Be Reduced? Application of the Trans theoretical Model As Tertiary Stage Anti-bullying Intervention. *Pakistan Business Review.* Vol 21, Issue 4, pp 762-777 (ISSN 1561-8706)
- **Zafar M. Z.**, Hashim N. A., Halim F. B. (2019) Nutritional menu of eatery make consumer able to select healthy food. *Pertanika Journal of Social Science and Humanities*. 27 (4): 2351 2365 (ISSN: 0128-7702-ESCI)
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- **Zafar M. Z.**, Toor A, and Hussain T (2019). Social Media as Conduit for Women Entrepreneurs in Pakistan. *Pakistan Business Review*. Vol 20, Issue 4, pp 886-899. (ISSN 1561-8706 ESCI)
- Toor A. **Zafar M. Z.**, and Hussain T. (2018). Investigating Role of Gender on Customer Perceptions of Frontline Employee Service Delivery: A Study of Pakistan's Bank Customers Behavioral Outcomes. *Abasyn Journal of Social Sciences*. Vol. 11, Issue 2, pp 439-455. (1998-152X)
- **Zafar M. Z.**, Hashim N., A., and Halim F., B (2016). The Pivotal Role of User-Friendly Food Label and Personality Traits on Intention to Consume Packaged Food Products. *Journal Of Food Products Marketing*. (ISSN: 1045-4446 ESCI) Vol. 22, Issue. 8, pp 1-22
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PUBLICATIONS IN PROGRESS

Muhammad Zeeshan Zafar (Adoption of Entrepreneurship as Career: The need of entrepreneurial skill hunting during academic)

Muhammad Zeeshan Zafar (Determining the factors for the reduction of Employee turnover with the mediation of affective commitment)

MBA PROJECTS

Human Resource Management

Developing HR manual of a Telecom Company

Considering all the aspects of HRM and their practical implication on the company. The policies regarding all the functions of HR i.e. Recruitment, Staffing, Performance evaluation etc.

Analyzing the relationship between Job performance & KSA

Developing a Hypothesis and conducting survey in a Textile Company by developing questionnaires and incurring the result using statistical data.

Marketing

Marketing plan for an educational institution

Considering the potential target market and then developing marketing strategies for feasible results.

Other

Business Plan of a Tourism Management Services Company

The complete proposed business plan of a tourism company with projected financial statements, marketing plan, management structure & strategies.

PROFESSIONAL WORKSHOPS CONDUCTED IN UNIVERSITY

SmartPLS 3 AMOS 21 NVivo 11

RESEARCH ACHIEVEMENTS

Supervise M.Phil-Marketing theses

Research Assistance during PhD

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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