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Personal Statement

A highly motivated and hardworking individual with B.Sc. degree in Electrical Engineering, M.Sc. degree in Engineering Project Management and PhD in Engineering Management/Management Sciences. I am eager to be a part of an organization that enhances my technical and project management skills and provide an environment for learning and growth.

Education

University of Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia 2023
PhD in Engineering Management / Management Sciences

Coventry University, UK 2017-2018
M.Sc. in Engineering Project Management (GPA 3.5)
Focus area include Project Management, Quality Management and Contract Management

University of Engineering and Technology, Lahore 2012-2016
B.Sc. (Honors) in Electrical Engineering (GPA 3.1)
Focus area include Power generation, Power transmission and EHV equipment

Experience

University of Agriculture, Faisalabad July 2024-Present
Lecturer, Institute of Business Management Sciences

- Teaching B.Sc. and M.Sc. courses in Institute of Business Management Sciences.
- Pursuing research.

Riphah International University Dec 2021-June 2024
Assistant Professor, Electrical Engineering and Technology Sept 2023-June 2024

- Teaching B.Sc. and M.Sc. courses in electrical and management sciences department.
- Conceptualized and launched the Master of Science in Engineering Management program to strengthen the field of engineering management.
- Pursuing research.

Lecturer, Electrical Engineering and Technology Dec 2021-Sept 2023

- Teaching B.Sc. and M.Sc. courses in electrical and management sciences department.
- Pursuing research.

The University of Lahore Dec 2020-Sept 2021
Admin Officer, QEC/Examination

- Responsible for the review of quality standards and the quality of teaching and learning in each subject area.
- Responsible for the review of academic affiliations with other institutions in terms of effective management of standards and quality of programs.
- Maintaining and verifying students' academic credential records
- Handling record of transcript and degrees issued.

Chenab Group Ltd Sept 2018-Aug 2019
Project Engineer

- Developed project objectives by reviewing project proposals and plans, conferring with management.
- Maintained project schedule by monitoring project progress; coordinating activities; resolving problems.
- Controlled project costs by approving expenditures; administering contractor contracts.

Chenab Group Ltd July-Sept 2017
Executive Officer

- Assisted the CEO in implementing the strategy of the organization set up by the board.
- Managed the day to day functioning i.e., updating the documents and managing data entry into the system.

Netracon Technologies

Jan-Jun 2017

Junior Engineer

- Worked on 132 KV Timergara Substation to ensure that its' all systems were properly placed, and it was transforming power into 33 KV and minimizing the losses.
- Focused on erecting and commissioning of towers to minimize the damages and losses.
- Tested the HV and EHV equipment to ensure its working so that funds were rightly used.

Chenab Group Ltd

Jun-Dec 2016

Operation Engineer

- Identified operational problems by observing and studying system functioning and performance results and completing trouble shooting procedures.
- Anticipated operational problems by studying operating targets, modes of operation, unit limitations, monitoring unit performance.
- Provided operational management information by collecting, analyzing, and summarizing operating and engineering data and trends.

Water and Power Development Authority (WAPDA)

Jun-July 2015

Intern

- Operated on the Hydropower and Thermal power plant system to learn about its transmission, distribution and billing process.
- Controlled the system of a Grid Station and operation on HV and EHV lines and equipment to switch flow of electricity from one line to another.

Certifications/Memberships

- Association of Project Management (APM), UK
- Institute of Engineering and Technology, UK
- Chartered Management Institute (CMI), UK
- Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC), Pakistan
- PRINCE 2 Foundation and Practitioner
- APM PFQ Certification
- Certificate in Strategic Leadership
- Professional Consultancy Certification

Skills

- Proficient in the use of MS Office (Word, PowerPoint and Excel)
- PRENDO Simulations, PACTIO and SPATIUM
- Team player, Strong Work Ethic, Leadership and Detail oriented

Personal Interest

- Travelling to experience new culture.
- Interest in collecting rare stamps and antiques

Research Publications

1. Bostanudin, N. A., & **Rashid, A.** (2021). Brand Loyalty in Modest Fashion Industry among Gen Y Female Employees in Malaysia. *Selangor Business Review*, 27-38.
2. **Rashid, A.**, Ahmad, A., Imdad Akash, R., & Ahmad, A. (2022). Long-Run Growth and contribution of Financial Sector and its Policies. *Pacific Business Review (International)*, 14(11).
3. **Rashid, A.**, Shah, A., & Khan, S. (2023). Enhancing Green Supply Chain Resilience and Competitive Performance Through Open Innovation and Digital Innovations. *Journal of Asian Development Studies*, 12(4), 123-143.
4. **Rashid, A.**, Khan, S., Shah, A., & Ali, S. (2024). Interplay of Green Construction Procurement and Logistic Service Innovation: Advancing Sustainable Economic Growth and Sustainable Development Goals. *International Journal of Social Science & Entrepreneurship*, 4(1), 1-21.
5. **Rashid, A.**, Shah, A., Khan, S., Adamjee, M. A., & Shahab, A. (2024). Potential of Cactus Leather in Pakistan's Leather Industry: A Qualitative Analysis. *International Journal of Social Science & Entrepreneurship*, 4(3), 1-16.
6. Khan, A., **Rashid, A.**, Khan, S., Shah, A., & ul Ain, H. N. (2024). Integrating Apparel Mill Sustainability into Primary Education: The Role of Intangible Resources and Capabilities. *International Journal of Social Science & Entrepreneurship*, 4(2), 448-468.

7. **Rashid, A.,** Shah, A., Ain, H. N. U., Khan, S., & Adamjee, A. (2024). Benefits of Using Data-Driven Lean Manufacturing in Textile and Apparel Manufacturing Units in Pakistan. *The Asian Bulletin of Big Data Management*, 4(02), 4-2.
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9. **Rashid, A.,** Shah, A., Ain, H. N. U., Adamjee, A., & Khan, S. (2024). Impact of Total Quality Management and Agile Manufacturing on Performance in the Apparel Industry: A Moderating Role of Higher Management Commitment. *The Asian Bulletin of Big Data Management*, 4(3), 154-172.
10. Alyani, M. A., Shahab, A., **Rashid, A.,** Warsi, A. Z., & Azizi, N. U. (2025). Transition to Sustainability and Green Banking in Pakistan. *Policy Research Journal*, 3(2), 211-226.
11. Shahab, A., **Rashid, A.,** Noreen, A., & Warsi, A. Z. (2025). Green Purchase Behavior: Key Factors Driving Eco-Friendly Consumer Choice For Enhanced Sustainability. *International Journal of Social Sciences Bulletin*, 3(2), 48–64.