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Responsabile scientifico: Prof. Marta Rossi

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CURRICULUM VITAE

INFORMAZIONI PERSONALI

Cognome	Muqaddas
Nome	Hira

OCCUPAZIONE ATTUALE

Incarico	Struttura
Assistant Professor	Department of Zoology The Women University Multan, Punjab, Pakistan

ISTRUZIONE E FORMAZIONE

Titolo	Corso di studi	Università	anno conseguimento titolo
Laurea Magistrale o equivalente	Zoology (Advance cell and molecular biology)	University of Sargodha, Sargodha, Punjab, Pakistan	2012
Specializzazione			
Dottorato Di Ricerca	Zoology (Parasitology)	University of Sargodha, Sargodha, Punjab, Pakistan	2021
Master			
Diploma Di Specializzazione Medica			
Diploma Di Specializzazione Europea			
Altro			



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ISCRIZIONE AD ORDINI PROFESSIONALI

Data iscrizione	Ordine	Città



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LINGUE STRANIERE CONOSCIUTE

lingue	livello di conoscenza
English	Excellent

PREMI, RICONOSCIMENTI E BORSE DI STUDIO

anno	Descrizione premio
2022	8th edition of the Parasitology Summer Course (VIII ParSCo) from 4th to 11th June in Aeolian, Sicilian islands, Italy. (Winner of Boehringer Ingelheim student grant)
2024	Winner of Charles Wallace Visiting Fellowships 2024-25 by British council, will visit Ecology and Epidemiology Group at Lancaster University UK for the period of six weeks
2024	Letter of contribution and appreciation on providing the voice over for the videos links embedded in the 5th Veterinary Parasitology Textbook by Prof. Domenico Otranto and Prof. Richard Wall - Wiley - 2023

ATTIVITÀ DI FORMAZIONE O DI RICERCA

descrizione dell'attività
I was awarded the Charles Wallace Visiting Fellowship 2024-25 by the British Council, through which I will receive training in spatial epidemiology from the Lancaster Ecology and Epidemiology Group (LEEG) at Lancaster Medical School (LMS) (in Nov and Dec 2024). This group specializes in analyzing complex data and modeling dynamic systems, such as those affected by climate change, using spatial and spatiotemporal statistical frameworks. Through this fellowship, I will learn various Bayesian and spatiotemporal techniques to identify intricate interactions between hosts, risk factors, and environmental variables, which can be used to pinpoint high-risk or disease hotspot regions.
I possess extensive expertise in a wide range of molecular biology techniques, including conventional PCR, DNA sequencing, and sequence submission to the NCBI GenBank database. My proficiency extends to advanced phylogenetic analysis using MEGA software, haplotype analysis through DnaSP 6, Arlequin, and PopART software, which are essential for understanding genetic diversity and evolutionary relationships.
Additionally, I am skilled at constructing study area maps using QGIS software, which enhances the spatial representation and analysis of research data. My comprehensive skill set in molecular biology and bioinformatics equips me to conduct complex experimental and computational research with efficiency and precision.

ATTIVITÀ PROGETTUALE

Anno	Progetto



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TITOLARITÀ DI BREVETTI

Brevetto

CONGRESSI, CONVEgni E SEMINARI

Data	Titolo	Sede
16- 18.03.2023	41st Pakistan Congress of Zoology (International)	Speaker
15- 17.03.2023	30th Annual Meeting of the German Society for Parasitology	Speaker
28- 30.08.2023	XXIX World Congress on Echinococcosis	Speaker

PUBBLICAZIONI

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