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Objective:

I am Shagufta Irshad, pursuing a Ph.D. (since 2022) at the Faculty of Architecture and Planning, AKTU, Lucknow, and currently working as an Assistant Professor at Integral University. My objective is to pursue a career and inspire students in creative practices to help them emerge as innovative architects and planners.

Educational Qualification:

Ph.D. (From September, 2025 to date) – Pursuing a Ph.D. (converted into part-time) from Faculty of Architecture and Planning, AKTU, Lucknow. (September, 2025 to date)

Ph.D. (2022 to august 2025) – Pursuing a Ph.D. regular programme under the Homi Bhabha Teaching Assistant Fellowship from Faculty of Architecture and Planning, AKTU, Lucknow. (2022 to 2025)

MURP (2020-2022) – Completed Master's in Urban & Regional Planning (Honors) from Faculty of Architecture & Planning, AKTU, Lucknow (CGPA-8.67)

B.ARCH. (2007-2012) – Completed a 5-year Bachelor's in Architecture from Integral University, Lucknow (72.65%)

DIPLOMA (2004-2007) – Completed 3-year Diploma in Architectural Assistantship from Government Polytechnic, Lucknow (68.65%)

HIGH SCHOOL (2004) – Career Convent College, Lucknow (ICSE 71.3%)

Working Experience:

- Worked in **SHRI RAM SWAROOP MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY, LUCKNOW** as an Assistant Professor (October 2022-December 2022)
- Worked in **TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING DEPARTMENT, LUCKNOW** as an Intern Planner (August 2021-September 2021)

- Worked in **ICON ARCHITECTS**, LUCKNOW as an Assistant Architect (From 12 July 2018 to 20 June, 2020)
- Worked in **OASISWORLD ENGINEERS PVT. LTD.**, LUCKNOW as an Assistant Architect (From 15 Jan, 2016 to 25 June, 2018)
- Worked in **LAND D'ZINE CONSULTANT & DEVELOPERS**, LUCKNOW as an Assistant Architect. (2012-2015)
- Worked in **SPACE DESIGN GROUP**, DELHI under the guidance of "AR. CHANDER MOHAN" for four months as a trainee. (2011)
- Worked with "AR. SHAILENDRA VERMA", LUCKNOW as a trainee for one month. (2010)

Publications in Research Journals:

1. **Social Infrastructure – Social Wellbeing & Economic Growth of the City**
Published under Pramana Research Journal (An ISO: 7021-2008 certified & peer reviewed journal), volume 11, issue 11, November 2021 (UGC Approved)
2. **Role of Bus Rapid Transit System in Urban Mobility**
Published under STM Journal, Trends in Transport Engineering and Applications (eISSN: 2394-7284), volume 9, issue2, June 2022 (UGC Approved)
3. **Women Health & Sanitation issues in Delhi slums, A case study of Harijan Camp**
Published under Journal of Positive School Psychology (ISSN 2717-7564), volume 6, No. 6, 8014-8020, July 2022 (Scopus)
4. **Pivotal Facets in the Evaluation of Public Transport Systems: A Review**
Published in the book named Vision Zero Systems, Approaches and Implementation Editors- Dr. Alka Bharat, Dr. Yogesh Kumar Garg, Dr. Rahul Tiwari (Bloomsbury) ISBN: 9789356404731, 9356404739, August 2023
5. **Study of Conservation Strategies for Cultural Heritage of World Heritage Sites at Khajuraho and Angkor**
Published under IJCRT (International Journal of Creative Research Thoughts) Journal (ISSN:2320-2882), volume 11, issue 8, August 2023 (UGC Approved)
6. **Analysis of Government Healthcare infrastructure for the District of West Bengal: A case of Purulia and Bankura**
Published under IJSR (International Journal of Science and Research) Journal (ISSN:2319-7064), volume 12, issue 12, December 2023 (Euro pub)
7. **Nexus of Climate change-human development: a tale of Sundarbans Biosphere, India.**
Published under Journal of Interdisciplinary Cycle Research (ISSN No: 0022-1945), volume 16, issue 2, February 2024 (UGC Approved)
8. **Medical Waste Management: A case of Tier-II Cities.**

9. Appraisal of Feasibility of BRTS Route in Lucknow

Published under Indian Journal of Natural Sciences (ISSN No: 0976 – 0997), volume 16, Issue 89, April 2025 (Web of Science)

Technical Skills

- Arc GIS
- ENVI-met
- Autocad (2d & 3d)
- Adobe photoshop
- 3ds max
- Ms office
- Google Sketchup

Proficiency & Interest:

- Mapping on GIS
- Research paper writing
- Freehand sketching
- Photography

Professional Affiliations:

- Associate Member: Institute of Town Planners of India (AITP)
- Registered Architect: Council of Architecture, New Delhi (COA)
- Registered Member: Lucknow Architects Association (LAA)

Guest Speaker of Live Webinar:

- Called as a Guest speaker for a Live Webinar on Building Crafts: Craft and Technology and its role in creating and enhancing Interior-Architecture by Institute of Architecture & Planning, Shri Ram Swaroop Memorial University. (10.10. 2024)

Workshop/FDP Attended:

- Attended a two-day Faculty Development Program on "Climate Resilient Cities" organized by Amity, Kolkata and Centre for Science and Environment. (17.07.2025 & 18.07.2025)
- Attended a five-day "National workshop on Micro climate simulation with ENVI-met" in online mode, organised by NIT, Patna in collaboration with Bihar council on science and technology. (25.06.2025 to 29.06.2025)
- Attended four-day residential training on "New Urban Agenda" organised by Centre for Science & Environment at Anil Agarwal Environment Training Institute (AAETI), Nimli, Rajasthan. (22.04.2025 to 25.04.2025)

- Four-day FDP on “Integrating Artificial Intelligence in Architecture: Research Trends & Innovations”, Integral University, Lucknow, in collaboration with SPA, Vijaywada (05.04.2025 to 26.04.2025 every Saturday)
- Two-week hybrid FDP on “Application of ICT in Smart Cities”, NIT, Patna (02.04.2025 to 12.04.2025)
- Five-day online course on “India Outside India, Journey of Temples from India to Cambodia” initiated by Samrachana- Heritage Conservation & Research Initiative (01.06.2024 to 05.06.2024)
- Five-day online workshop on “Application of Artificial Intelligence in Architecture and Design”, NIT, Patna (18.09.2023 to 22.09.2023)
- Four-day online workshop on “Solar Passive Architecture and Thermal Comfort”, NIT, Patna (10.04.2023 to 14.04.2023)
- Five-day Faculty Development Program on “Advancing Research capabilities in Architecture & Planning”, FOAP, AKTU, Lucknow (20.02.2023 to 24.02.2023)
- Attended “Author Workshop by Sage Publications” at FOAP, AKTU, Lucknow (2022)
- One day workshop on “Building Energy Efficiency by UPNEDA” at FOAP, Lucknow (26-11-2021)
- Online course by ISRO on “Geospatial Inputs for Enabling Master Plan Formulation for AMRUT sub scheme” (11-10-2021 to 15-10-2021)
- One day online workshop by ISRO on “Applications of Satellite Altimetry for Inland Waterbodies” (27-10-2021)

Conference/Seminars Attended:

- **Presented** paper in International Conference on “Climate Change, Cultural Heritage & Sustainable Habitat” organised by NIT, Patna in association with IIA (Bihar chapter) at Gyan Bhawan, Patna (17.02.24 & 18.02.2024)
- Attended 72nd National Town & Country Planners Conference on Climate Change & Resilient Spatial Planning Approach at Lucknow (05.01.2024 to 07.01.2024)
- Attended International Conference on Urban Climate Resilience – GSTIC URBCARE Lucknow 2023 at Lucknow (22.11.2023 & 23.11.2023)
- Attended conference on “Climate change and Disaster risk management in Urban Planning” organised by ITPI UP Regional Chapter, Lucknow (25.08.2023)
- **Presented** paper in National Conference on “Multidisciplinary Aspects of Architecture & Planning: Enhancing the Connections” jointly organised by Council of Architecture & Research centre, Bhopal and School of Architecture & Design, K R Mangalam University, Gurugram, at K R Mangalam University, Gurugram (01.06.2023 to 03.06.2023)

- Attended “Conference-cum-Expo, New Urban India, State Government of Uttar Pradesh” at Indira Gandhi Pratisthan, Lucknow (05.10.2021 to 07.10.2021)

Languages Known

- English,
- Hindi &
- Urdu Fluent (read write speak)

Personal Details

Father's name:	Mr. Irshad Husain Ansari
Mother's name:	Mrs. Sadrun Nisa
Marital status:	Married
Husband's name:	Mr. Nehal Ahmad
Daughter's name:	Zainab Nehal
Date of birth:	December 24, 1987
Hobbies:	Photography, travelling, swimming & listening music

Place: Lucknow

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