



Major Achievements of the Department

- Shah-i-Hamadan Institute of Islamic Studies is one of the significant departments in the School of Social Sciences, University of Kashmir. It imparts knowledge in interdisciplinary nature focusing on studies pertaining to Islamic Culture, Civilization and Pluralism in a broader perspective. During the period of 2019-2024, the Institute made the following major achievements in academics and co-curricular domains:
- The Institute organized Two-Day International Seminar on “Spirituality and Social Justice in Islam” (16-17 March, 2019) and “One Week Research Methodology Workshop in Islamic Studies for Research Scholars and Assistant Professors”. (17-23 June, 2019)
- The Institute organized Two Day International Webinar on “Islamic Perspective on Contemporary Biomedical Issues” (25-26 August, 2020), “Two-Day International Webinar on Tasawwuf (Sufism and Inter-religious Dialogue: Concept and the Contemporary Relevance” (29-30 September, 2020) and “Three Week International Interdisciplinary Research Methodology Workshop for Research Scholars and Assistant Professors in the disciplines of Social Sciences/Arts/Humanities” (21-12-2020 to 10-01-2021).
- The Institute conducted Two Day International Webinar-Cum-Seminar on “Pandemics and Narcotics: A Religious Perspective” (7-8 April, 2021) and Two Day National Seminar on “Environmental Ethics: A Religious Perspective” (15-16 March, 2022).
- The Institute also conducted Two-Day National Seminar on “Interfaith Dialogue and Communal Harmony: Challenges and Prospects” (8-9 March, 2023).
- The faculty members of the department attended many national as well as international seminars, conferences, and workshops which were discipline centric and some of them



were also interdisciplinary in nature pertaining to the subject of Islamic Studies.

- The faculty members of the department published 40 research papers in Peer Reviewed and Indexed Journals (2019-2024).
- The department is publishing an annual academic and research journal - *Insight Islamicus* which is peer Reviewed and Indexed (**Indexed in Index Islamicus, London, UK**) and the journal is published annually without any gap in its frequency.
- Twenty Seven research scholars of the department were conferred with Ph. D degree during the assessment period (2019-2024).
- Forty Nine students of the department qualified JRF/MANF/NET (conducted by UGC, New Delhi) and fourteen students of the department qualified SET (conducted by SET Agency, J&K) during the assessment period (2019-2024).
- One faculty member, **Dr. Nasir Nabi** delivered invited lectures in UGC-Malviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, University of Kashmir.
- Faculty members, **Dr. Nasir Nabi, Dr. Burhan Rashid, Dr. Bilal Ahmad Wani, Dr. Mohammad Dawood Sofi, Dr. Mohd. Ilham Sheikh, Dr. Abid Mushtaq and Dr. Samee Ullah Bhat**, published about 20 books during the assessment period. (2019-2024)
- Five of our pass outs got appointed as Assistant Professors in higher education department and on other posts during the assessment period (2019-2024).
- Four of our pass outs got appointed as Assistant Professors at University of Kashmir during the assessment period (2019-2024).
- Two of our pass outs got appointed as 10+2 Lecturers in School Education Department during the assessment period (2019-2024).