CURRICULUM VITAE
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Current Employment:	**Lecturer (DAP-NED University, Karachi-Pakistan)**
Education:	**Masters in Urban and Regional from Dept. of Arch. & Planning NED University, Karachi.**
Nationality:	**Pakistan**
Languages:	**English, Urdu**
Area of Interest:	**Urban Planning and Development, City Water Management, Informality of Urban Areas, and Development Work Practices.**
Software Skills:	**Arc. GIS, SPSS, Microsoft Office, Kobo toolbox, etc.**

OVERVIEW OF PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Agha Humair is a Development Practitioner and Urban Planner presently serving as a Lecturer at Development Studies Programme within the Department of Architecture and Planning at NED University. Currently, he teaches Statistical Application I, II, and Participatory Development Courses to the Second Year level at the Development Studies Program at the Department. He has also been actively involved in various academic research projects since 2020 under the auspices of the DAP-NEDUET research team. Following his undergraduate studies in the Development Studies Programme at NED University, he pursued a Master's degree in Urban and Regional Planning from the same institution, completing it in 2024. Subsequently, he assumed the role of visiting faculty at the Development Studies Programme, DAP-NEDUET. Throughout his master's program, his research endeavors were centered on the topic of Informality in Service Provision, particularly focusing on the provision of piped water connections in Karachi neighborhoods.

Agha has been involved in various research projects so far in his professional career, such as (i) Access to Water and its Coping Mechanisms taken by People of Karachi, a collaborative research project among Tokyo University and NED University, currently working on its possible Publications. (ii) Working Women's Mobility and Employability issues, a project funded by British Asian Trust (BAT) after extensive data collection from the working women living in peripheral areas of Karachi, currently involved in implementing city-level two pilot projects related to transportation issues specific to women. (iii) Documenting the socio-economic profiling of Education City, Karachi, and assisted in proposing the village's Upliftment Plan to the private consultants. Further, in 2021, he spearheaded a student and faculty exchange initiative between DAP-NEDUT, NED University, Karachi University, and Islamia University of Bahawalpur, funded by Atia Foundation, Bahawalpur. He commenced his tenure by contributing to the "Infrastructure of Wellbeing" project by LSE, collaborating with Karachi team to address solid waste management practices in Karachi and Faisalabad. His primary responsibility entailed documenting the solid waste management systems across various areas of Karachi.

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

2024	**Masters in Urban and Regional Planning**, NED University, Pakistan	
2019	**Bachelor's in Development Studies Programme**, NED University, Pakistan	
2015	**Intermediate in Pre-Engineering**, Formen College, Nazimabad. Karachi	

RECORD OF EMPLOYMENT

2024/05- date	**Lecturer,** Development Studies Programme, NED University, Karachi.
2020-2024/04	**Research Associate,** Department of Architecture and Planning, NED University, Karachi.
2019/08- 2019/11	**Research Scholar,** Indus Earth Trust.

RESEARCH PROJECTS

2021- date   Access to Water and its Coping Mechanisms taken by People of Karachi.

2022- date   Working Women Mobility and Employability Issues, funded by BAT.

2023/6- 2023/11 Socio-Economic Profiling of Education City, Karachi.

2021   RRR Project.

OTHER EXPERIENCE/AFFILIATIONS

2023/03   Participated and Completed the waste generation and its characterization course
                organized by the Young Professional Group of Solid Waste Association (ISWA YPG)

2023/12   Participated and Completed an Online course Quantitative Analysis Skills using
                SPSS from Digital Skills Academy.