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Architecture

Islamic Architecture of Pakistan : An Analytical Exposition – Volume 1 : Arab and Central Asian Contribution / Ahmad Nabi Khan
Islamabad : National Hijra Council, c1990
xx, 194 p.; 30cm
Includes Bibliography, Index and 182 Plates
969-8016-37-6
\$ 45.00

[This is a comprehensive project dealing with the various phases and facets of Islamic architecture of Pakistan and covering the following periods through separate volumes :

- Vol.1 : Arab and Central Asian Contribution
- Vol.2 : Islamic Architecture of Sindh
- Vol.3 : The Moghul Architecture
- Vol.4 : Wooden Architecture of Northern Areas.

Pakistan possesses a galaxy of monumental building of Islamic period started with the dawn of 8th century to the close of the 19th century A.D. in the shape of places and pavilions, gardens and boalis, highways and bridges, mosques and madrassas and tombs and mausoleums. In the Initial stages, and Arabs introduced and familiarized an entirely new pattern of architecture, specially the mosque which was completely different of the Hindu/Jaina temple and the Buddhist Stupa and Monastery. The Arabs founded cities like alMafuza and al-Mansura and re-modeiled the olden cities to suit their requirement.

The Arab contribution was augmented, rather revolutionized, by the Central Asian architects and master craftsmen who came here in the wake of the Ghaznavid and Ghorid invasions of the cultural and social centers of Central Asia in 13th and 14th Centuries.

The material which runs into thousands of specimens located the length and breadth of the present day Pakistan has been surveyed, analysed and studies systematically by the present writer with a view to presenting a comprehensive story. The present study is therefore the first over such attempt bringing into focus the contribution of artist, architect and the resourceful patron. This would, therefore, be a complete and fully illustrated, account of the Islamic Architecture of Pakistan.]

Islamic Architecture : The Wooden Style of Northern Pakistan / Ahmad Hasan Dani
Islamabad : National Hijra Council, c1989
165 p. + 100 Plates, 29cm

969-8016-33-3
\$ 25.00

[The Monograph makes a comprehensive survey of the Islamic monuments in northern Pakistan including Baltistan, Hunza, Nagir, Gilgit, Chilas, Kohistan, Swat, Dir Bajaur and Chitral. While presenting the architectural development of the entire area, based on selected buildings, it emphasizes on the regional speciality of the wooden style and at the same time brings home the common Islamic trends in the art of building and its decorations. This common heritage of the past recalls the cultural unity of the Islamic world and speaks highly of the great influence that Islam exerted on the mode of life that Muslims cherished wherever they lived. The architecture of the region, for the first time described, adds a new chapter to the civilization of the world of Islam.]

Art

Muslim Art heritage of Pakistan / Ahmed Nabi Khan
6th Edition.

Islamabad : Directorate General of Films and Publications, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Govt. of Pakistan, 2003
80 p.; ill.; 28cm.
\$ 20.00

The Meaning of Islamic Art : Explorations in Religious Symbolism and Social Relevance : Volume 1 & 2 / K.K. Aziz

Lahore : Al-Faisal, c2004
1127 p.; 25cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-503-337-7 (Vol.1)
969-503-338-6 (Vol.2)
\$ 60.00 (Set)

[Professor Aziz explores these two facets of Islamic art with consummate skill without completely neglecting the role of time in their development and evolution. He brings out the point that Islamic Art is, above everything else, "Islamic" because it is rooted in a particular religion's beliefs, values, traditions and concepts. He emphasizes that it is predominantly a spiritual art because it represents the non-worldly aspirations, instincts and urges of a believer. This has created a powerful symbolism, and he uncovers the layers of meanings and significance underlying the various symbols, whether borrowed from other traditions or inherent in Islam. He also stresses the close connection between this art and Sufism. A parallel thread runs throughout the book : the close proximity between this art and the society which produced or lived with it; a unique feature of Islamic Civilization.]

Economics

Dollars, Debt and Deficits : Reform and Management of Pakistan's Economy / Ishrat Hussain
Lahore : Vanguard Books (Pvt) Ltd., c2004
xi, 376 p.; 22cm.
969-402-389-0
\$ 15.00

[This volume consists of two parts. The first is a compilation of the author's newspaper articles until 1999 and the second comprises his articles in his official capacity as Governor of the State Bank of Pakistan.

The most interesting aspect of the book is the difference between the author's approach as an outsider and critic before 1999 and his pragmatic approach later in view of the ground realities. In practice, he admits readily, the real world does not operate according to the simple analysis of economic logic and there are many complexities and intricacies involved in arriving at workable solutions and acceptable decisions.

The challenge that faces Pakistan's economic managers is to accelerate growth, invest in pro-poor and labour intensive activities, create employment opportunities and bring down the incidence of poverty. These daunting goals can only be achieved, believes the author, if there is a consensus among all the political parties around this agenda and there is political stability in the country with law and order, good governance and peace and security in the region.

The next five years are therefore critical in the economic history of Pakistan if they bring about a paradigm shift from the old stop-go cycles to a more orderly and stable way of achieving equitable and sustainable growth for a majority of the population.

This book contributes significantly to the policy dialogue on the Pakistani economy and will be indispensable for policy makers, economists and historians.]

History

Bengali Language Movement to Bangladesh / Anwar Dil and Afia Dil

Lahore : Ferozsons (Pvt) Limited, [Intercultural Forum], c2000

744 p.; 24cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

969-01577-x

\$ 25.00

[Contents :

Part 1 : East Bengal, 1905-1971

Part 2 : The Bengali Language Movement

Part 3 : Bangladesh Movement

Part 4 : Bangladesh, 1971

Part 5 : Appendices

Bibliography

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The Trial of Muhammad Bahadur Shah (Ex. King of Delhi) – Historical Reprint / H.L.O. Garrett

Lahore : Research and Publication Centre, National College of arts, c2003

xiv, 282 p.; 24cm.

969-8623-03-5

\$ 10.00

[The Reprint of Garrett's classic work, first published in 1933, compiles the A to Z of the trial of the last Mughal Emperor Muhammad Bahadur Shah on charges of murder and treason.

The account of this trial reflects how modern concepts of state governance and the rule of law were tailored to the specific needs of an unaccountable foreign rule in India. While laying down the groundwork for contemporary scholarship in history

and politics of British India, it would also attract the general readers with its vivid account of a dethroned Mughal majesty facing the emerging British colonialists under extraordinary circumstances. The story of the last days of Mughal dynasty and the account of the mutiny against the British are also fully exposed through the trial's testimonies and Proceedings.

Not to be missed by those interested in the history and politics of our milieu.]

Muslim Freedom Fighters of India Based in Central Asia / Zahid Shah [Edited by Ross Masood Hussain]

Pakistan : Area study Centre (Russia and C.A.), Peshawar University and Hanns Seidel Foundation, c2000

xxv, 214 p.; 22cm.

Includes Bibliography.

\$ 15.00

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Chapter 1 : Migration to Afghanistan and Independent Territories during world War – I

Chapter 2 : Indian Freedom Fighters at Kabul during World War – I

Chapter 3 : Migration to Afghanistan during the Hijrat Movement

Chapter 4 : Indian Freedom fighters in Tashqand, Moscow and Istanbul

Chapter 5 : Indian Freedom Fighters along the anglo-Afghan Border

Conclusion

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The End of Muslim rule in India / Syed Sami Ahmad

Karachi : Justice Kayani Memorial Law Society, c1997

iv, 213 p.; 22cm.

\$ 10.00

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1. The Mughal Empire Disintegrates

2. Nawab Siraj-ud-Daulah

3. Mir Jafar the Traitor

4. Mir Kassim Struggles to recover Independence

5. Muslims fight decisive Battle against Marathas at Panipat

6. Hyder ali and Valiant

7. Tipu The Lion

8. Establishment of British Supremacy

9. The War of Independence of 1857

10. Causes of the Downfall of the Mughal Empire.]

Abdul Ghaffar Khan "Pushtunistan" and Afghanistan / S. Fida Yunas

Pakistan : S. Fida Yunas

iii, 102 p.; 22cm.

\$ 5.00

[Contents :

1. Introduction
 2. Abdul Ghaffar Khan, "Pashtunistan" and Afghanistan
 3. The role of Afghanistan
 4. Kabul's high-powered meeting on 'Pakhtunistan'
 5. Rupture of diplomatic relations
 6. Bajaur incident of September 1960 and Dir Operations
 7. Person of King Zahir Shah
 8. Bacha Khan in Afghanistan
 9. Non-Pushtun about 'Pushtunistan'
 10. Bacha Khan : Bio-Data
 11. Statues of Buddha
 12. Some examples of Radio Kabul's propaganda in Pushto to denigrate the Government of Pakistan and its leader
 13. Translation of extracts in English of a poster in Pushto distributed by the Afghans during September 1960
 14. Translation in English of a handbill in Pushto circulated in the border area by the Afghans
 15. Translation in English of a Pushto Poster headed 'Wake up Pukhtun!' distributed in the border areas by the Afghans.
 16. Text of the statement of Khan Abdul Ghaffar Khan.]
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Modern Muslim India and the Birth of Pakistan / S.M. Ikram
7th Edition.

Lahore : Institute of Islamic Culture, 1997

xvi, 535 p.; 22cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

\$ 10.00

[This book originally appeared (1951) under the title Makers of Pakistan and Modern Muslim India (by A.H. Albiruni), and has been an important source book for the history of the period it deals with.

The earlier book, as its title indicated, was an account of the lives and activities of the leader who enabled Muslim India to recover from the loss of political power culminating in the exile of the last Mughal Emperor in 1858, and who so guided its affairs as to lead to the establishment of the Independent state of Pakistan.

The Original book has been greatly enlarged and, although the approach remains basically biographical, many new chapters giving the background of the period and various historical developments have been added. Out of the fifteen chapters, five are entirely new, including a long chapter on the development in the areas which now constitute Pakistan with considerable additions in others. Personalities from Muslim Bengal have been fully dealt with, and advantage has been taken of the publication of considerable new material relating to Partition to make the account comprehensive. An important new section relates to "Jinnah, the man and the statesman".]

Islamic Renaissance in South Asia 1707-1867 : The Role of Shah Wali Allah and his Successors / Mahmood Ahmad Ghazi

Islamabad : Islamic Research Institute, International Islamic University, c2002

xxiii, 298 p.; 22cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

969-408-231-5

1. South Asia – Civilization – 1707-1867

2. Islam – History – South Asia

\$ 15.00

[This is a study of the evolution of Islamic thought in the Subcontinent in general and Shah Wali Allah's contribution to it in particular for he represents the zenith of Islamic intellectual contribution and scholarly excellence in South Asia. The author, with his insight into the dynamics of Indian Muslim history, traces significant moments of the rise and fall in the cultural career of the Indian Muslim community until the crisis-ridden era of Shah Wali Allah. Against this backdrop, he brings out the impact of the great thinker on the development of Islamic thought and highlights his epoch-making contribution at a time the community was witnessing a major socio-political turmoil in its eventful history.]

Pakistan : As Visualized by Iqbal and Jinnah / Selected and Compiled by G.H. Zulfiqar

Lahore : Ghulam Hussain Zulfiqar, Secretary, Bazm-i-Iqbal

320 p.; ill.; 22cm.

Includes Index.

\$ 5.00

*The Mughal court and its Institutions : Vol. I [1. The Mansabdari Sytem and the Mughal Army, 2. The Imperial treasury of the Indian Mughals] / Abdul Aziz

Lahore : Al-Faisal, c2002

xvii, 454 p.; 22cm.

Includes Index.

969-503-209-5

The Mughal court and its Institutions : Vol. II [1. Army and Jewellery of the Indian Mughuls, 2. Thrones, Tents and their furniture (Used by the Indian Mughals), 3. The Imperial Library of the Mughals] / Abdul Aziz

Lahore : Al-Faisal, c2002

xv, 125 p.; 22cm.

Includes Index.

969-503-208-7

Set Price : \$ 40.00

McMurdo's Account of Sind / Edited by Mubarak Ali

Pakistan : Institute of Sindhology, University of Sind, 1985

124 p.; 22cm.

Institute of Sindhology's Publication No. 116

\$ 5.00

[Captain McMurdo's account of sind is the earliest critical study of the history of Sind. It is also the first attempt at writing a history of Sind describing not merely the pursuits and pastimes of the princes but delineating as far as possible the varying condition of society. It deals with the Manners and the customs of the people, the state of trade and commerce of the country, and the state of society and government.]

Delhost's Observation on Sind / Edited by Mubarak Ali

Pakistan : Institute of Sindhology, University of Sind, 1987
118 p.; 22cm.
Institute of Sindhology's Publication No. 129
\$ 5.00

[Lt. Edward Delhoste, recording all details about the country during his journey, and writing the account of Sind Afterwards, observed everything with political angle and noted the weaknesses of the government, rulers, and society. The grim picture provided an impetus to the utilitarian English administrators of the East India company to rescue Sind from this miserable condition and establish an enlightened British Rule.]

History of Commerce of Sind (From Early Times to 1526 A.D.) / C.L. Mariwalla
Pakistan : Institute of Sindhology, University of Sind, 1981
78 p.; 22cm.
Institute of Sindhology Publication No. 74
\$ 3.00

[Contents :
Chapter 1 : Introductory Nature and Importance of the subject and the sources of Information
Chapter 2 : The country and its People
Chapter 3 : Commercial connections of Sind with the outside world, the means of communication and the trade Routes
Chapter 4 : A Brief survey of Sind Commerce upto the Ascendency of the Moghuls.]

Ahah 'Abdul' Aziz : His Life and Time (A Study of India Muslims' attitude to the British in the early 19th century) / Mushirul Haq
Lahore : Institute of Islamic Culture, 1995
iv, 104 p.; 22cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
\$ 4.00

Multan : A Province of the Mughal Empire (1525-1751) / Humaira Faiz Dasti
Karachi : Royal Book Company, c1998
xx, 368 p.; 22cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
969-407-226-3
\$ 18.00

Afghanistan : A political History – Volume 1 & 2 [The Afghans and The Rise and Fall of the ruling Afghan Dynasties and rulers] / S. Fida Yunas
Pakistan : S.N.
v.; 22cm.
\$ 50.00 (Set)

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Sulaiman Mirza

Taimur Shah

Zaman Shah

Shah Mahmud

Kamran

Shah Shujah

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The Second Anglo-Afghan War

The Third Anglo-Afghan War

Chapter 5 : The Tajik Ruler – Ghazi Amir Habibullah Khan

Chapter 6 : The Movement for constitutionalism in Afghanistan (Mashrootiat)

Volume 2 – The Peshawar Sardars' Branch of barakzais / Mohammadzais

Part 1 : King Mohammad Nadir Shah (1929-1933)

Part 2 : King Mohammad Zahir Shah (1933-1973) The Golden Period

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Historic Towns of Punjab : Ancient and Medieval Period / Abdul Rehman

Rawalpindi : Ferozsons (Pvt.) Ltd., c1997

290 p.; 30cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

969-0-01413-7

\$ 30.00

[The book historical towns of Punjab : Ancient and Medieval period gives a comprehensive cultural and political history of Punjab and describes how these factors influence on the urban design patterns of this vast geographical region. The book explains the relationship between trade routes, political history and architectural developments and their influence upon one another in shaping up of the Urban environment.

A Reference book which provides an up to date information on ancient towns and settlements from prehistoric times to Sikh period (2500 BC – 1849 AD).

The book gives for the first time unpublished case studies of a number of historic towns such as Dipalpur, Behera, Hasan Abdal, Satghara Sitpur, Shujaabad, etc.

It is also illustrated with maps and drawings specially prepared for this book.

The buildings and monuments which contribute significantly in shaping up the built environment has been thoroughly explained with plans, elevations and photographs.

At the end it concludes with the "Form and Meaning" of historic a towns and urgent need for their conservation.

This volume fills a long standing gap in the scholarly literature on Pakistan's history of architecture and urban planning. It will be an invaluable reference for serious students of history, urbanism and architecture.]

The Partition of the Punjab 1947 : A compilation of Official Documents

Lahore : National Documentation Centre, c1983

4v. ; 25cm.

Includes Index.

\$ 100.00 (Set).

[Contents : Vol.1.

Foreword

Note on the Radcliffe Award by S. Sharifuddin Prizada

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Arguments of the Indian National Congress

Arguments of the Sikhs

Arguments of the Christians (Punjab Nationalist Christian Association)

Arguments of the Scheduled Castes

Arguments of the Mazhabi and Ramdasia Sikhs

Arguments of the Bikaner State

Arguments of the Indian National Congress – Supplementary

Arguments of the Sikhs – Resumed

Arguments of the Christians (Joint Christian Board)

Arguments of the Anglo-Indians

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Arguments of the Bahawalpur State

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Map of the Punjab, Punjab States and Delhi (annexed to Sir George Abell's letter dated 8 August 1947)

Index Plan of the Punjab showing non-muslim contiguous areas and Hydro-Electric Transmission lines (submitted by the Congress)

Map of the Punjab showing the proposed boundary line (submitted by the Sikhs)

Map of the Punjab – Muslim Majority tehsils and contiguous Majority areas of Muslims (Submitted by the Muslim League)

Map of Kasur Tehsil (Annexed to the Radcliffe Award)

East and West Punjab boundary map (Annexed to the Radcliffe Award).]

Law

*Juristic Essays / Mufti Abdul Rauf Sakharvi
Pakistan : Darul-Ishaat Udru Bazar Karachi, c2003
424 p.; 22cm.
\$ 20.00

Islamic Shari'a and Its application : With Special reference to Pakistan / Rashid Ahmad (Jullundhri)
Lahore : Rashid Ahmad (Jullundhri), Director, Institute of Islamic Culture, c2003
39 p.; 25cm.
\$ 10.00

Literature

*Studies in Persian Language and Literature / A. Shakoor Ahsan
Lahore : Bazm-e-Iqbal, c1992
xi, 320 p.; 22cm.
Includes Index.
\$ 5.00

Linguistics

The Bridge of Words : Between East and West [Eastern Indo-European languages (Persian, Urdu, Hindi, etc.) traced to Western Indo-European Languages (English, French, German, Etc,)] / Khaled Ahmed
Lahore : Vanguard Books (Pvt.) Ltd., c2001
334 p.; 22cm.
Includes Bibliography.
969-402-347-5
\$ 18.00

[A lot of excellent research exists in the West on the roots of the Indo European group of languages. But no attempt has been made in Urdu and Persian to compile etymologies. However, Sanskrit dictionaries, like Arabic ones, are based on roots. Therefore it is possible in some cases to relate Western Indo-European roots to Sanskrit ones. That is what Khaled Ahmed has done in this book. It is different from other works on etymology in that it enlists words common to Eastern and Western language groups.

Barring early philologists like Muller and Jones, no one has so far tried to look at this shared aspect. This is the unexplored field of discovery and consequent excitement that this book wishes to share with readers. For instance, kana is "reed" in Punjabi; so is it in Greek. In the Western group, Greek kana has given rise to words like "canal", "channel", "Canon", etc. In Skand Gupta, which is the name of an Indian king, skand means "jump"; in Persian, skand means the same; in English "ascend", the root skand means "jump". In Harsha, another Indian king, the root hr means "hair" rising under a sensation of joy; in Persian haras, it means "hair" rising under a sensation of fear; in English, "horror" means "hair" rising under a sensation of terror. This is the kind of verbal adventure the book promises.

This book will be of use to specialists in search of more shared words across the East-West divide of the Indo-European languages. It is also guaranteed to excite the common reader of language.]

Performing Arts

Folk Music of Sind / Compiled by Ghulam Ali Allana
Pakistan : Institute of Sindhology, University of Sind, 1982
134 p.; 22cm.
Institute of Sindhology Publication No. 85
\$ 5.00

[Contents :

1. Prehistoric to Early Historic Period / Dr. N. A. Baloch
2. Development under Islamic Civilization / Dr. N.A. Baloch
3. Developments in the sub-continent : Evolution of the Music Tradition in Sind / Dr. N. A. Baloch
- 4 . Shah Abdul Latif, The Founder of a New Music Institution / Dr. N. A. Baloch
5. Music of Sind Through the Centuries / Iiyas Isbqui
6. Music Traditions of Lower Indus Valley / Aziz Baloch
7. Sind hi Music / Dr. Mohammad Ali Kazi
8. Music Composition of Shah Latif / Tirathdas Hotchand Wadbwani
9. Folk Music of Sind / M. A. Saleem
10. Folk Music of Mehran Valley / Ahmed Hussain Baloch

11. Folk-Musical Instruments of Mehean Valley / Dr. N. A. Baloch
12. Sindi Folk Music and its Universality / Najmey Rizvi.]
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Rhythms of the Lower Indus : Perspectives on the Music of Sindh / Edited and
Compiled by Zohra Yusuf
Pakistan : Department of Culture and Tourism, Government of Sindh
185 p.; ill.; 25cm.
\$ 20.00

[The Little Tradition in Revolt / Hameed Hamon
PART I – The Music of Sindh
The Music Tradition of Sindh / Aziz Baloch
Sindhi Melodies in Spain / Aziz Baloch
Sindhi Melodies in Cante Jondo / Aziz Baloch
Development in the Indus Valley / N.A. Baloch
An Ethnomusicological Perspective / Regula B. Qureshi
Surs in Sindhi Music / Ilyas Ishqie
Shah Abdul Latif - The Pioneer of a New Era / N.A. Baloch
Shah Latif's Sur Sarang / Anne Marie Schimmel
The Risalo: Its Musical Compositions / Tirathdas Hotchand
Surs of Shah Abdul Latif / Elsa Kazi
Sindhi Drama & the Work of Shah Abdul Latif / Tirathdas Hotchand
Bhitai's Urs Celebrations - 3 impressions
PART II - Musical Instruments of the Lower Indus Valley / N.A. Baloch
PART III - Musicians of the Lower Indus Valley.]

Politics & International Relations

*Pakistan : Fifty Years of Nationhood / Shahid Javed Burki
Lahore : Vanguard Books Pvt. Ltd., c2004
xxi, 250 p.; 23 cm.
Includes Bibliography and Index.
967-402-338-6
\$ 25.00

[Although Pakistan achieved Independence in 1947, it still has not succeeded in
integrating its diverse peoples into a nation as its short yet turbulent history vividly
demonstrates. The nation's search for stability is traced in this new introduction to
Pakistan's Political, economic and social development. New chapters detail political
developments since 1991, including the elections of 1993 and 1996. Particular
attention is paid to economic changes, including the financial crisis that led to the fall
of Benazir Bhutto's government in 1996. Also included is an extensive analysis of
the nuclear arms race between India and Pakistan, an issue of global concern.]

Pakistan Under Musharraf (1999-2002) : Economic Reform and Political Change /
Shahrukh Rafi Khan
Lahore : Vanguard Books Pvt. Ltd., c2004
xviii, 178 p.; 22cm.
969-402-387-4
\$ 12.50

[This is a book of essays, dedicated to Omar Asghar Khan, based on research conducted between 1999-2002 while the author seas at the Sustainable Development Policy Institute. Given that a military government had assumed power during this period, it was inevitable that many of the public policy issues addressed are key reforms discussed and instituted by this government. The first section is about land reform that one can refer to as 'the mother of all reforms' in the country. This represents a recurring and connecting theme of this book. The second section is on devolution that was the first, most fundamental, and most talked about reform of the military government. Like land reform, but not at the same level, devolution can interface with all other reforms, particularly the key social sector reforms such as that pertaining to education. The author explains how this is the case while the third section is devoted entirely to education. One important way of making a success of rural basic education, the most lagging building block for education improvement in Pakistan, is to involve parents and communities. This participatory model has a broader application to rural development as explained in the context of activating social capital in section four. Activating and formalizing social capital is also central to the concept of sustainable development as explained in section five. Sustainable development and the environment have an interface with trade and this is addressed in section six. Trade and other liberalizations that have part been part of the structural adjustment reform policies Pakistan has undergone, both before and during the military government tenure, and this is the subject of section seven. Finally, some other important policy issues including Islamic finance, NGO registration, child labor, and peace are discussed in section eight.]

Pakistan Under Martial Law 1977-1985 / Mohammad Waseem
Lahore : Vanguard Books Pvt. Ltd., c2002
219 p.; 22cm.
Includes Index.
969-402-367-x
\$ 10.00

[In this timely and authoritative book, the author examines political tendencies in Pakistan during the period 1977-1985 under the military regime of General Zia-ul-Haq. He discusses the development and relevance of mass movements, elections, party alliances, assemblies, and oppositions to the regime. The author details the typologies of Pakistan's main political leaders Nawabzada Nasrullah Khan, Wali Khan, Asghar Khan and Z.A. Bhutto as well as political parties like the Pakistan People's Party, Tehrik-e-Istiqlal, Muslim League, Jamaat-e-Islami, Jamiat-e-Ulema Pakistan, Jamiat-e-Ulema Islam. The author also has a comprehensive look at the various groups of the right, left, regional & religious intelligentsia in Pakistan, as well as covers questions of Islamisation, language, class, democracy etc.]

A to Z of Jehadi Organization in Pakistan / Muhammad Amir Rana [Translated by Saba Ansari]
Lahore : Mashal Books, c2004
592 p.; 25cm.
\$ 20.00

[Contents :
1. The Cultural of Jihad

2. Jehadi Activities
3. Training
4. Religion, Jihad and Sectarian Organizations
5. Jehadi Organizations, ISI and CIA
6. Jihad and Sectarianism
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8. Religious parties in Pakistan
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10. Ahle Hadees Organizations
11. Barelvi Parties and Organizations
12. Shia organizations and Parties
13. Jama'at-e-Islami and its Offshoots
14. Other Parties
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16. Religious Parties of Azad Kashmir
17. Religious welfare Institutions
18. Religious madrassas in Pakistan.]

Pakistan Under Siege : Pakistan after September 11th, 2001 / Maria Madalena L. Carvalho-Fischer & Matthias Fischer
 Lahore : Vanguard Books Pvt. Ltd., c2004
 xxii, 231 p.; 22cm.
 Includes Bibliography.
 969-402-394-7
 \$ 15.00

The Unholy Nexus : Pak – Afghan relations under the Taliban / Imtiaz Gul
 Lahore : Vanguard Books Pvt. Ltd., c2002
 xvi, 378 p.; 22cm.
 Includes Bibliography and Index.
 969-402-368-8
 \$ 20.00

[Originally, this book project was launched to provide an insight into the mysterious world of the radical Taliban militia. But following 9/11 and the arrival of the international coalition against terrorism in Afghanistan and Pakistan, the issue of Pakistan's involvement with Afghanistan began to acquire significance, necessitating slight shift of emphasis away from Kabul to Islamabad.

The book also attempts to highlight the impact on Pakistani society of the nexus between Pakistan's intelligence agencies and domestic religious outfits who drew spiritual guidance from the Taliban and extended their tentacles into Kashmir with the aim of liberating it from India.

With the Taliban regime gone and the Al-Qaeda network on the run in Afghanistan, the question arises whether or not Pakistan will be able to regain the trust of the non-Pashtun Afghans in the ruling Junta in Kabul, and whether, in the aftermath of 9/11, Pakistan's military establishment, currently under tight international pressure and scrutiny will actually review and refocus its policies vis-à-vis Afghanistan and Kashmir? The book tries to re-examine and analyse some of these critical questions. Its great merit is that it tries to look ahead while uncovering the past.]

*Pakistan : Studies in History and politics / K.K. Aziz
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