



# Salman Wali

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## ABOUT ME

I am Salman Wali, a graduate in BS English Linguistics and Literature. Currently, I am pursuing an MPhil degree at Air University Islamabad. I never compromised over the quality of tasks at hand, whether academic, non-academic, extracurricular or social. My dedication to excellence has been recognized with a Certificate of Distinction from the University. My research interests include English Language Teaching and Technology, Sociolinguistics, and Language Death and Shift. I am a dedicated teacher with a keen interest in using technology to enhance my instruction. I'm continually exploring new tools and strategies to integrate into my classroom.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Visiting Lecturer

**Karakoram International University** [ 10/2022 – 08/2024 ]

City: Gilgit | Country: Pakistan

### English Teacher

**Iqra Hufaz Secondary School, Gilgit** [ 03/2020 – 07/2022 ]

City: Gilgit | Country: Pakistan

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

### MPhil in Linguistics

**Air University** [ 09/2023 – Current ]

City: Islamabad | Country: Pakistan | Website: <https://www.au.edu.pk/> | Field(s) of study: Arts and humanities  
| Final grade: 3.53 | Thesis: Vanishing Voices : Exploring the Factors of the Decline of Dawoodi Language in Gilgit Baltistan, Northern Pakistan

### BS in Linguistics and Literature

**Karakoram International University** [ 05/08/2018 – 01/09/2022 ]

City: Gilgit | Country: Pakistan | Website: <https://www.kiu.edu.pk/> | Field(s) of study: Arts and humanities :  
• Literature and linguistics | Final grade: 3.75/4.00 CGPA | Thesis: Comparative Study of Inflectional Morphemes of Pashto and English Language

### HSSC (Pre-engineering)

**Cadet College Swat** [ 08/2015 – 08/2017 ]

City: Swat | Country: Pakistan | Website: <https://cadetcollegeswat.edu.pk/> | Final grade: 79% A Grade

### SSC (Science)

**Allama Iqbal Public High School** [ 06/2015 ]

City: Mayar | Country: Pakistan | Final grade: 82% A+ Grade

## INTERNSHIPS

[ 03/2021 – Current ]

## Editor

The Karakoram Magazine, Gilgit

## CREATIVE WORKS

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**Founder of Literary Society** Established a Literary Society at the University which seeks not only to educate but discover, promote and celebrate the artistic passion of young and creative minds.

Link: <https://www.facebook.com/KIULiterarySociety>

## HONOURS AND AWARDS

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Karakoram International University

**Gold Medalist** Upon securing the highest position the University has conferred a Certificate of Distinction and awarded as a Gold Medalist.

KIU Literary Society

**President**

Cadet College Swat

**Color Holder**

Karakoram International University

**USAID-funded Merit and Needs-based Scholarship**

## COURSES

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[ 06/2022 – 10/2022 ]

**Communication and Soft Skills**

Communication and Soft Skills course from Virtual University Pakistan under Digiskills Training Program

[ 02/2021 – 05/2021 ]

**Creative Writing**

Creative Writing course from Virtual University Pakistan under Digiskills Training Program

[ 07/10/2024 – 17/11/2024 ]

**Using Educational Technology in the English Language Classroom**

Online course, under the OPEN Cubed Pakistan Program 2024, sponsored by the Regional English Office at the U.S Embassy Islamabad (RELO Pakistan)

## CERTIFICATES

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[ 03/2024 ]

**TechHighEd Symposium: Future of English Language Teaching-Technology Driven Approach**

I had the opportunity to present my research project on the topic "Effects of Gamification in English Language Learning Education" I am incredibly honored to have been awarded the Best Presentation prize for my work.

Link: <https://shorturl.at/nNNtz>

[ 08/2022 ]

**Certificate of Participation**

PakTESOL Workshop on Research Methodology for English Language Teachers

[ 11/2019 ]

## Talent Grooming and Career Counselling Workshop

The workshop was organized by USAID-funded Merit and Needs-based Scholarship Program

[ 11/2022 ]

### Certificate of Participation

PakTESOL Gilgit-Baltistan Regional Conference and Training Workshop on Innovation in English Language Teaching and Learning

## LANGUAGE SKILLS

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**Mother tongue(s):** Pashto

**Other language(s):**

### English

**LISTENING C1 READING C1 WRITING B2**

**SPOKEN PRODUCTION C1 SPOKEN INTERACTION C1**

### Urdu

**LISTENING C2 READING C1 WRITING B1**

**SPOKEN PRODUCTION B2 SPOKEN INTERACTION B2**

*Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user*

## DIGITAL SKILLS

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Microsoft Word / Google Drive / Microsoft Powerpoint / Google Docs / Zoom / LinkedIn / organization

## RECOMMENDATIONS

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