Visit of **PAKISTAN'S** Multi-Party High Level Parliamentary Delegation to the United Kingdom

(June 9-11, 2025)



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Pursuant to the Prime Minister Mian Mohammad Shehbaz Sharif's functioning of the Indus Waters Treaty was also a key theme of the directive, a high-level multiparty delegation visited London after delegations' outreach. completing the New York, Washington DC trip. The nine-member delegation was led by Chairman Pakistan People's Party, and former Foreign Minister, Bilawal Bhutto Zardari. The other members of the delegation include Minister for Climate Change and Environmental Coordination, Dr. Musadik Masood Malik; Chairperson, Senate Standing Committee on Climate Change and Environmental Coordination and former Minister for Information and Climate Change, Senator Sherry Rehman; Chairperson, National Assembly Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs and former Foreign Minister, Hina Rabbani Khar; former Minister for Commerce, Defence and Foreign Affairs, Engineer Khurram Dastgir Khan; former Minister for Maritime Affairs, Senator Syed Faisal Ali Subzwari; and Senator Bushra Anjum Butt. The delegation also includes two former Foreign Secretaries, Ambassador (R) Jalil Abbas Jilani, who also served as Caretaker Foreign Minister, and Ambassador (R) Tehmina Janjua. The visit of the delegation was aimed at projecting Pakistan's perspective on the recent Indian aggression.

The delegations highlighted Pakistan's responsible and restrained conduct - seeking peace with responsibility - in the face of India's reckless and belligerent actions in violation of international law. The delegation also highlighted that dialogue and diplomacy should take precedence over conflict and confrontation. The delegation underscored the imperative for the international South Asia. The need for immediate resumption of the normal media and diaspora.



The delegations engage in a series of meetings with British Parliament, FCDO, the leadership of international bodies, public community to play its due role in promoting a lasting peace in office holders, senior officials, parliamentarians, think tanks,



Meeting with **Mr. Hamish Falconer** Minister of State for South Asia and the Middle East June 10, 2025

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, **King Charles Street**

High-Level Parliamentary Delegation of Pakistan meets Rt. Hon conduct in the face of grave provocations, reaffirming its the Middle East, Afghanistan and Pakistan to Advance Peace and Stability in South Asia

Chairman of the Pakistan People's Party and former Foreign a broader conflict in a nuclearized environment of South Asia. Minister, Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari, met today with the UK's Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for the Middle East, Afghanistan, and Pakistan, Rt. Hon Hamish Falconer, at the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) in London. The discussions focused on addressing escalating regional tensions following recent Indian military provocations.

Mr. Bilawal Bhutto commended the UK's efforts and statements by its leadership on the importance of restraint, engagement, Asia. The delegation also briefed on the humanitarian implications the Pahalgam attack of 22 April 2025. He categorically rejected International law. India's baseless and premature allegations against Pakistan, made without any credible investigation or evidence.

He emphasized that India's unilateral military actions, including peace, restraint, and diplomacy in the region. He reiterated the deliberate attacks on civilians leading to killings and death of UK's commitment to supporting all efforts aimed at de-escalation civilians and damage to civilian infrastructure and the arbitrary and peaceful resolution of disputes through dialogue. He holding in abeyance of the Indus Water Treaty, represented a underscored UK's government desire to remain engaged in dangerous escalation that risked destabilizing the entire region. He promoting peace and stability in South Asia with the aim to reduce underscored Pakistan's mature, responsible, and restrained tensions and resolve disputes.

Hamish Falconer, the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for commitment to international law and the principles enshrined in the UN Charter, including the right to self-defence. He warned against India's attempts to establish a dangerous "new normal" marked by A high-level parliamentary delegation of Pakistan, led by impunity, unilateralism, and the use of force, which risks triggering

Mr. Bilawal Bhutto called on the UK's government to continue playing a proactive role in promoting de-escalation and facilitating dialogue between Pakistan and India. He highlighted the immediate need to restore the normal functioning of the Indus Waters Treaty, and promote a comprehensive dialogue between Pakistan and India-particularly on the Jammu and Kashmir dispute, which remains central to ensuring lasting peace in South dialogue and diplomatic path forward. Mr. Bhutto briefed the of holding in abeyance of the Indus Water Treaty, India's Under-Secretary of State on Pakistan's position in the aftermath of unprovoked aggression and violation of UN Charter and

> Rt. Hon Hamish Falconer welcomed Pakistan's desire for peace and reaffirmed the UK's strong interest in the preservation of







Meeting with the Speaker of the House of Commons, **Sir Lindsay Hoyle** June 10, 2025

Speakers House, House of Commons, Westminster

High-level Delegation of Pakistan Briefs the Speaker of the House of Commons about Indian Aggression against Pakistan and Threats to Regional Stability

Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari briefed the Speaker on the deteriorating regional security situation following the Pahalgam incident, expressing grave concern over India's baseless allegations, unprovoked military strikes, and the suspension of the Indus Waters Treaty. He reaffirmed Pakistan's commitment to peace, restraint, and a rules-based international order, stressing that sustainable peace requires a just resolution of the Jammu and Kashmir dispute. The delegation also warned against the humanitarian and legal risks of weaponizing water. The Speaker acknowledged the importance of UK-Pakistan ties and appreciated the contributions of the Pakistani diaspora, reaffirming the UK's support for regional peace and stability.















Meeting with **Mr. Christian Turner CMG** Former British High Commissioner to Pakistan and Permanent Representative-designate to UN

June 11, 2025

Pakistan High Commission London

The Pakistani Parliamentary Delegation had a constructive meeting with Mr. Christian Turner CMG, former British High Commissioner to Pakistan and Permanent Representative-designate to the United Nations, during a lunch hosted by the Pakistan High Commission in London.

The delegation welcomed the UK's emphasis on diplomacy and dialogue, and encouraged its continued, constructive role in supporting de-escalation and the peaceful resolution of the Jammu & Kashmir dispute—the unfinished agenda of partition and a legacy of British history. Both sides reaffirmed the importance of sustained engagement for lasting regional peace and stability.







Meeting with the

All-Party Parliamentary Group (APPG) on Pakistan June 10, 2025

Portcullis House, Parliament

Pakistan Delegation Briefs UK Parliamentarians on India-Pakistan Tensions

The High-Level Parliamentary Delegation from Pakistan, led by Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari, Chairman PPP and former Foreign Minister, briefed the All-Party Parliamentary Group (APPG) on Pakistan at a meeting hosted by MP Yasmin Qureshi at Westminster Palace, attended by cross-party British MPs. The delegation highlighted the serious repercussions of India's unprovoked aggression following the Pahalgam incident, including violations of Pakistan's sovereignty and the unilateral suspension of the Indus Waters Treaty. Mr. Bhutto Zardari rejected India's baseless allegations and stressed the need for credible investigations. Minister Musadik Malik briefed on the environmental and humanitarian risks to Pakistan's 240 million people from disruption of water flows. The delegation reaffirmed Pakistan's measured and lawful response, its commitment to peace, and the urgent need for dialogue—particularly on Jammu & Kashmir—in line with international law and UN resolutions.



















Meeting with All-Party Parliamentary Group (APPG) on Jammu & Kashmir

June 10, 2025

Portcullis House, UK Parliament

Delegation meets APPG on Jammu & Kashmir at UK Parliament

The high-level Pakistani Parliamentary Delegation, led by Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari, briefed the APPG on Jammu & Kashmir on escalating Pakistan-India tensions and worsening human rights abuses in Indian Illegally Occupied Jammu & Kashmir (IIOJK). The delegation condemned India's recent unprovoked military strikes in Azad Jammu & Kashmir and its illegal suspension of the Indus Waters Treaty, warning of the grave regional implications. They emphasized that the unresolved Jammu & Kashmir dispute remains central to regional instability, citing repressive Indian measures since 5 August 2019. The delegation urged the UK to support the implementation of UN Security Council resolutions, and thanked the APPG for its continued advocacy for the rights of the Kashmiri people. Pakistan reaffirmed its firm commitment to the Kashmiri cause.







Delegation Meets UK-Based Kashmiri Leadership June 10, 2025

Portcullis House, UK Parliament

The high-level Parliamentary Delegation from Pakistan, led by Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari, met with prominent UK-based Kashmiri leaders during its visit to London

The delegation reaffirmed that the Jammu & Kashmir dispute remains the unfinished agenda of the United Nations and the unresolved legacy of Partition. Members emphasized that the inalienable right to self-determination of the Kashmiri people, as guaranteed under UN Security Council resolutions, must be upheld. The meeting also focused on India's recent military aggression, violations of Pakistan's sovereignty, and the unilateral suspension of the Indus Waters Treaty, which poses a serious threat to the lives and livelihoods of 240 million Pakistanis. The delegation called for restraint, restoration of treaty commitments, and the launch of a comprehensive dialogue to prevent further escalation and ensure lasting peace in the region.



Interaction with

Think Tanks Roundtable Conference June 09, 2025

Chatham House, London

Pakistan's Parliamentary Delegation interacts with Chatham House

The high-level Pakistani Parliamentary Delegation led by Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari, Chairman PPP and former Foreign Minister, held a closed-door discussion at Chatham House with leading UK academics, policymakers, and think tank experts.

The delegation highlighted India's recent military aggression, violations of Pakistan's sovereignty, and the illegal suspension of the Indus Waters Treaty, warning of the threat to regional peace and stability. They reaffirmed Pakistan's right to self-defence under international law and called for international accountability.

Mr. Bhutto Zardari stressed that Kashmir remains the core issue and urged meaningful international dialogue. The delegation included senior parliamentarians, former ministers, diplomats, and Pakistan's High Commissioner to the UK, Dr. Mohammad Faisal.











Interaction at

International Institute of Strategic Studies (IISS) London June 09, 2025

Arundel House, 6 Temple Place, London Pakistan's Parliamentary Delegation interacts with

International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS)

The high-level Pakistani parliamentary delegation, led by Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari, held an in-depth discussion at the International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS) in London, engaging with policymakers, analysts, and academics. The delegation expressed grave concern over India's unprovoked military strikes, which violated Pakistan's sovereignty and international law, and reiterated Pakistan's measured response under Article 51 of the UN Charter. Mr. Bhutto Zardari condemned India's illegal suspension of the Indus Waters Treaty, warning of its serious implications for water security and regional stability. The unresolved Jammu & Kashmir dispute was highlighted as the core issue, with a call for renewed international support for dialogue and peace. A candid Q&A followed, allowing the delegation to outline Pakistan's vision for constructive engagement and lasting peace in South Asia. Senior parliamentarians, former ministers, diplomats, and Pakistan's High Commissioner to the UK, Dr. Mohammad Faisal.



Reception in Honour of the delegation June 10, 2025

Pakistan House

Dinner in honour of the high-level parliamentary delegation from Pakistan

The High Commissioner of Pakistan to the United Kingdom, Dr. Mohammad Faisal, hosted a dinner at the Pakistan High Commission in London in honour of the visiting high-level parliamentary delegation from Pakistan, currently on a diplomatic outreach mission to the United Kingdom. The dinner provided an opportunity for the delegation to engage informally with members of the Pakistani diaspora, diplomats, British parliamentarians, and members of the media and academic community. In his welcome remarks, Dr. Mohammad Faisal praised the delegation's efforts in effectively presenting Pakistan's perspective on recent developments in South Asia, particularly in light of India's unprovoked aggression and violations of international norms. The event underscored the importance of continued dialogue and international engagement to highlight Pakistan's commitment to regional peace, sovereignty, and the rule of international law.



























Pakistan High Commission London

Pakistani Parliamentary Delegation Concludes London Visit with Final Press Conference at High Commission

The high-level Parliamentary Delegation from Pakistan concluded its official visit to the United Kingdom with a press conference at the Pakistan High Commission in London, where it briefed media representatives on the outcomes of its diplomatic engagements. Led by Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari, Chairman of the Pakistan People's Party and former Foreign Minister, the delegation provided an overview of the visit to the media













Pakistan High Commission London

At the conclusion of the high-level parliamentary delegation's visit to the United Kingdom on June 11, 2025, Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari, Chairman of the Pakistan People's Party and former Foreign Minister, signed the guest book at the Pakistan High Commission in London, marking the end of the delegation's official engagements in London.



Media Engagements

June 9-11, 2025

London











'PAKISTAN IS A CHANGING PLACE'

Bloomberg UK

India Is Disrupting Indus Water Flows, Pakistan Minister Says



Musadik Malik in London, on June 9. Photographer: Chris J. Ratcliffe/Bloomberg

By Ishika Mookerjee, Faseeh Mangi, and Akshat Rathi June 10, 2025 at 2:11 PM GMT+1







Profiles of Members of Visit of Multi-Party High Level Parliamentary Delegation Bilawal Bhutto Zardari Head

Born on 21 September 1988, Bilawal Bhutto Zardari became the youngest Foreign Minister of Pakistan (37th) on 27 April 2022. He heads the second largest coalition party, Pakistan Peoples Party (PPP) in the current Government.

On 30 December 2007, he became Chairman of PPP and has led the Party since the tragic loss of his beloved mother and Party's charismatic leader, Shaheed Mohtarma Benazir Bhutto, first woman Prime Minister and head of a democratic government in a Muslim country. As the Chairman of PPP, Bilawal Bhutto Zardari draws inspiration from his grandfather, Prime Minister Zulfikar Ali Bhutto Shaheed and his parents, Shaheed Mohtarma Benazir Bhutto, and President Asif Ali Zardari, and wants to continue their legacy of serving the people of Pakistan.

He became a member of the National Assembly of Pakistan on 13 August 2018. On 5 March 2019, he was elected, unopposed, as the Chairperson of the National Assembly Standing Committee for Human Rights. He has been a devout advocate for democracy and freedom of expression, as well as an ardent supporter of women empowerment, social justice, minority rights, parity, religious and interfaith harmony. Earlier, as a leader of second largest opposition party in parliament, he campaigned against inflation and infringement of human rights.

As a head of the PPP, he oversees the running of Pakistan's second largest province, Sindh, through his party's provincial government. He has spearheaded the improvement in Human Development Index (HDI) in the province.

Bilawal Bhutto Zardari attained a degree in History and Politics from Oxford University, United Kingdom.

Dr. Musadik Masood Malik

Dr. Musadik Masood Malik is a Pakistani politician, economist, and public policy expert affiliated with the Pakistan Muslim League (N). He is currently serving as the Federal Minister for Climate Change and Environmental Coordination, a position he assumed in March 2025.

Academically, Dr. Malik completed a Post-Doctoral Fellowship in Health Economics and Medical Decision Making at the University of Illinois - College of Medicine. He also holds a Ph.D. and M.S. in Healthcare Administration and Policy, and an MBA from the University of Illinois.

Dr. Musadik Malik served as the Special Assistant to the Prime Minister for Water and Power. He previously held the position of Advisor to the Prime Minister on Water and Energy. With a distinguished career in public policy, Dr. Malik brings extensive international experience spanning economic transformation, industrial development, labor reform, employment generation, education, and healthcare.

Over the years, Dr. Malik has led major policy and development initiatives in the Sultanate of Oman, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, and has designed a science and technology-based economic transformation strategy for the Government of Puerto Rico. His professional background includes serving as Managing Director of a prominent public sector strategy consulting firm and acting as an advisor to various government bodies across North America, the Middle East, and South Asia.

Dr. Malik has held senior leadership roles in globally recognized institutions, including Charles River Associates (CRA International) as Vice President and Regional Director for the Middle East, and strategic roles at Arthur D. Little (USA) and SRI International (USA).

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Senator Sherry Rehman

Sherry Rehman is the Parliamentary Leader of the Pakistan People's Party (PPP) in the Senate and the Chair of the Senate's Standing Committee on Climate Change and Environmental Coordination. She also serves as the President of the Pakistan National Group of The Parliamentarians for Global Action (PGA). She is a

former Federal Minister for Climate Change and notably the first woman Opposition Leader in the Senate of Pakistan. She also held the role of Vice-President of Pakistan People's Party.

She is the Founding Chair of the Jinnah Institute and the founder of The Centigrade collaborative. Rehman is a fourth-term parliamentarian, diplomat, journalist, and civil society activist who received Pakistan's highest civil award, the Nishan-e-Imtiaz.

Sherry Rehman was ranked among the 100 Most Influential People of 2023 by TIME magazine and named among the 25 Most Influential Women of 2022 by the Financial Times. She was featured in Forbes' 50 Over 50: Asia 2023 list and identified as one of the Top Global Thinkers of 2011 by Foreign Policy magazine. She was also described by Newsweek Pakistan as "Pakistan's Most Important Woman."

She has served as Pakistan's Ambassador to the United States, Federal Minister for Information and Broadcasting, and held additional portfolios of Health, Women Development, and Culture. Rehman has received several awards including the title of Democracy's Hero, the Freedom Award for her work for media independence, the International Peace Award for Democrats, and the Jeanne Kirkpatrick Award for Women.

She was formerly the editor of Pakistan's Herald magazine and an award-winning journalist with 20 years of experience in both broadcast and print media. Her latest book, Womansplaining, navigates modernity, politics, and activism in Pakistan through the prism of 22 women activists, leaders, and academics speaking in their own voices. Rehman has also co-authored the book Five Hundred Years of The Kashmiri Shawl with Naheed Jafri, published in 2006, which received the prestigious R. L. Shep Ethnic Textiles Book Award from the Textile Society of America.

She has served as Chair of the Senate's Foreign Affairs Committee, Chair of the Pakistan Red Crescent, and is a member of the Global Futures Council at the World Economic Forum.

Ms. Hina Rabbani Khar

Chair of the National Assembly's Foreign Affairs Committee and Pakistan's 26th Foreign Minister, Hina Rabbani Khar is a prominent diplomat and politician. Serving her fourth term in parliament, she was first elected as a Member of Parliament from her home constituency of Muzaffargarh on a seat previously held by her father, Ghulam Rabbani Khar.

As Foreign Minister, she prioritized a 'regional pivot' towards neighbors: trade normalization with India, cooperative outreach towards Afghanistan, and bolstering economic ties with Iran and Central Asia.

Ms. Khar has held many key ministerial roles in Economic Affairs and Finance.

Whether in office or not, she continues to represent Pakistan on the world stage at forums like the Munich Security Conference, Paris Peace Forum, Davos, and various other regional and international events.

In her private life, she is a proud mother of two daughters and a son, as well as an entrepreneur, climber, horse rider, and practitioner of yoga.

Engineer Khurram Dastgir-Khan

Engineer Khurram Dastgir-Khan has served his nation as Federal Minister for Foreign Affairs, Defense, Energy and Commerce; and has served as Chairman of the Privatization Commission and the Federal Textile Board. He holds a distinguished record of performance, economic diplomacy, reform, and legislation during his public service.

Mr. Khan was born in Gujranwala, Pakistan and represented his birthplace in the National Assembly consecutively for fifteen years (2008-23) over three Parliaments. During his tenure at Defense, he steered approval of the National Defense Plan 2018-30. He led the campaign for GSP-Plus trade concessions in 2013 from the European Union through intense diplomacy in Brussels and Strasbourg, and was instrumental in success of subsequent reviews. In spring 2014, he led vital negotiations to obtain reciprocal market access for Pakistan and to normalize trade with India.

He has global experience in economic statecraft with partner countries and institutions, including the World Trade Organization where he revitalized Pakistan's presence. In his stewardship, Pakistan revamped its national trade defense laws and gained accession to UN's TIR convention. In his most recent tenure as Minister for Energy, Minister Khan oversaw approval of comprehensive rules for liberalization of the electricity market, shifted balance in electricity generation decisively towards domestic fuels; reinvigorated the transmission sector; and initiated technology-based efficiency in distribution.

Mr. Khan was educated at St. Joseph's School Gujranwala and Cadet College Hasan Abdal. He holds a B.S. in Engineering from California Institute of Technology and an A.B. in Economics from Bowdoin College, both in the United States.

Hundreds of thousands of followers are on Twitter feed (now "X") of @kdastgirkhan. He has played varsity squash, is a keen reader, and listens to classical music. He occasionally writes essays of opinion and reviews books. Engineer Khurram Dastgir-Khan is married and has two children.

Senator Faisal Sabzwari

Faisal Ali Subzwari is a Pakistani politician and current Senator representing the Qaumi Movement (MQM) for the 2021–2027 term. He previously served as the Federal Minister for Maritime Affairs (2021–2023), where he focused on reforms in Pakistan's maritime trade, port operations, and logistics infrastructure. With over two decades of experience in governance, he remains an influential figure in shaping economic and youth-centered policies at both provincial and federal levels.

Subzwari began his political career in Karachi, rooted in student activism and a strong commitment to advocating for the rights of urban Sindh's middle and lower-middle classes. He was elected to the Sindh Provincial Assembly in 2002 at the age of 27 and served until 2018. During this time, he held several key roles, including Provincial Minister for Youth Affairs (2008–2013, 2018) and Leader of the Opposition in the Sindh Assembly (2013–2014). As Youth Affairs Minister, he led initiatives focused on education, youth empowerment, and sports development. In 2021, his transition to national politics was solidified through his election to the Senate. During his tenure, Subzwari also served as Federal Minister for Maritime Affairs, where he aimed to modernize Pakistan's shipping sector and enhance international competitiveness. He remains active in parliamentary oversight through his membership in the Senate Standing Committees on Finance, Economic Affairs, and Planning and Development.

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Senator Bushra Anjum Butt

The delegate is currently serving as a Senator in the Senate of Pakistan (2024–to date) and Chairperson of the Senate Standing Committee on Federal Education and Professional Training (March 2024–to date).

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Previously, she served as a Member of the Punjab Assembly (2013–2023) where she significant roles including Member of the Education and Youth Committee, Board and Chairperson Audit Committee of the Punjab Education Endowment Fund (PEEF), Board Member of Lahore Waste Management Company (LWMC), Punjab Library, and the Punjab Examination Commission, and Syndicate Member of Lahore College for Women.

She has represented Pakistan in a number of prestigious conferences, including the IAF seminar on digital freedom, IPPFORB academies in Oxford and Singapore, EU-funded workshops on human trafficking (ICMPD, Vienna), National Security Workshop at NDU Islamabad, and multiple international study visits on justice, policing, and electoral reforms in Norway and Jordan.

Her corporate governance credentials include attending director training programs at LUMS and ICMA. She has taught Writing & Communication at LUMS, BNU, and LSE, and has developed and instructed professional communication courses.

She holds a Master's in English Language Teaching from Kinnaird College for Women, with specialization in phonetics, pedagogy, and classroom management, and a Bachelor's in Economics and Journalism. Her unpublished research focuses on preschool teacher training, English language instruction, dyslexia, pronunciation, and school management. She also holds A-Levels

in Business Studies, Sociology, and Urdu, and O-Levels in Economics, Sociology, and Arts.

Ambassador Jalil Abbas Jilani

Ambassador Jalil Abbas Jilani is a seasoned career diplomat with 40 years of foreign bilateral, and multilateral experience. He has served as Foreign Minister of Pakistan and held pivotal ambassadorial roles in the United States, Belgium, Luxemburg, the European Union, and Australia. He has also served as the Foreign Secretary of Pakistan.

In 2018, the Government of Pakistan nominated Ambassador Jilani to the Experts and Eminent Persons Group (EEP) of the ASEAN Regional Forum. He was a member of the Prime Minister's Advisory Council on Foreign Affairs from 2019 to 2023. A specialist in conflict resolution, peacebuilding, and mediation, he has previously served as Director General for South Asia and SAARC, Acting High Commissioner to India, and Director (India) at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. From 2003–2008, Ambassador Jilani was closely involved in the Pakistan-India peace process, leading bilateral discussions that resulted in substantive cooperation on political and security issues and increased trade.

His academic and research engagements include positions as Senior Fellow at the International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS), UK, and the United States Institute of Peace (USIP). In January 2022, the President of Pakistan appointed him as a Member of the Board of Governors of the Institute of Regional Studies (IRS), Islamabad

Amb Tehmina Janjua Former Foreign Secretary, (2017-2019)

In 2017, was appointed as Pakistan's Foreign Secretary.

Was Ambassador & Permanent Representative to UN Geneva, Ambassador to Italy, accredited to Albania, Slovenia, FAO, IFAD and WFP. Also served at UN New York.

Was Spokesperson of the Foreign Ministry Director General Strategic Planning; held important staff appointments with National Security Adviser (1989) and several Foreign Secretaries.

Represented Pakistan in several International Conferences.

Participated in the Istanbul process and related events, negotiations on the defamation of religions UNHCR resolution, discussant in UN/OIC related panels on religious discrimination, intolerance and hatred.

Presided over the Geneva based Conference on Disarmament in 2016. Was the first woman, and the first developing country representative, to preside over the Review Conference of the Convention on Certain Conventional Weapons in 2016.

Holds Masters degrees in International Affairs from Columbia University NY, and French Language & Literature from Quaid-e-Azam University.





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