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Senior Fellow / Director

Centre for the Study of Law, Shari'ah and Politics (SYARAK)

EDUCATION

Universiti Malaya

(Academy of Islamic Studies)

2013

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

Dissertation title: "*Some Aspects of Spiritual Thoughts of Shaykh 'Abd al-Šamad al-Falimbānī (w.1254/1828)*"

University of Edinburgh, Scotland, United Kingdom (Department of Middle Eastern Studies)

2004 – 2008

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) – failed to accomplish a PhD.

Dissertation title: *The Influence of al-Ghazālī in the Malay World in the Writings of Shaykh 'Abd al-Šamad al-Falimbānī (w.1254/1828)"*

International Institute of Islamic Thought and Civilization (ISTAC), Malaysia

2000

Masters (M.A.) Islamic Civilization

Thesis title: "*Al-Ghāzālī on Administrative Ethics: with Special Reference to His Naṣīḥat Al-Mulūk*"

International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM)

1994

B.Econs (Honours)

Northern Consortium of United Kingdom (NCUK/ KPP-ITM) Shah Alam

1989

First year in Bachelor of Electrical Engineering – failed to pursue for 2nd year.

AREAS OF INTEREST

Ethics & Good Governance, Sufism

WORK EXPERIENCE

1st. October 2024 until now

Director, Centre for the Study of Shari'ah, Law and Politics, IKIM

2nd. April 2018 - 30 September 2024

Senior Fellow, Centre for the Study of Shari'ah, Law and Politics, IKIM

22nd. February 2012 – 1 April 2018

Director of Media Centre IKIM

5th. April 2010 – 21 February 2012

Director of IKIMfm radio station

Fellow, Centre for Training and Consultancy, (PPLI) IKIM 1996

2002 Lecturer, Department of General Studies, IIUM

1995 -1996 Senior Assistant Registrar / Assistant Registrar ISTAC-IIUM

PROFILE

After graduating from IIUM with a Bachelor's degree in Economics in 1994, he embarked on his Master's degree at the International Institute of Islamic Thought and Civilization (ISTAC), a renowned centre of learning on Islamic thought founded by eminent scholar, Tan Sri Professor Dr. Syed Muhammad Naquib al-Attas. He successfully completed his M.A. in 2000. While doing his MA, in 1997, Dr. Roskiman left for Sudan to enhance his mastery of Arabic Language at the Centre of Arabic Studies, International University of Africa, Khartoum. In 2002, he was transferred to the International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM) as a lecturer. He then left for the United Kingdom and spent four years from 2004 until 2008 at the Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies, University of Edinburgh, Scotland, UK, pursuing his doctoral studies (PhD). There, he was under the supervision of renowned Orientalist in the History of Malaya, Professor Dr. William Roff (now late); as well as Professor Dr. Carol Hillenbrand and later Dr. Ayman Shihadeh. However, he obtained his doctoral degree (PhD) from the Academy of Islamic Studies, University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur.

His M.A. thesis, which he completed under the supervision of a Turkish historian, Professor Dr. Mehmet Ipşirli, was selected for publication by ISTAC-IUM as a book and was given a title, *The Administrative Ethics of Al-Ghazālī with Reference to His Naṣīḥat al-Mulūk*. Dr. Roskiman regularly contributes his writings to the press and magazines and radio programmes. Currently he serves as Senior Research Fellow of Centre for Syariah, Law and Politics, Institute of Islamic Understanding Malaysia (IKIM) after serving 8 years as Director of Media Centre IKIM, being responsible for IKIMfm radio station with more than 1 million listeners now.

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ACHIEVEMENT /AWARD / RECOGNITION

- ② Anugerah Perkhidmatan Cemerlang 2020, Institut Kefahaman Islam Malaysia (IKIM).
- ② Anugerah Perkhidmatan Cemerlang 2017, Institut Kefahaman Islam Malaysia (IKIM).
- ② Anugerah Perkhidmatan Cemerlang 2011, Institut Kefahaman Islam Malaysia (IKIM).
- ② “The Most Supportive Media Practitioner 2017” organized by Cyber Security Malaysia, MOSTI.
- ② Responsible for making IKIMfm online radio (*streaming*) and over 100 countries in the world reported to have accessed to it as of 2011.
- ② Leading IKIMfm radio station to have won National Islamic Innovation Award 2011, an award presented by YDPA King, Tuanku Mizan Sultan Zainal Abidin.

PUBLICATION

- ② *Tenang Menghadapi Musibah*, terjemahan daripada Kitab Al-Izz Ibn Abd al-Salam *Fawa'id al-Balwa*. Kuala Lumpur, Galeri Ilmu, 2023.
- ② *Wahai Anak! Nasihat Buat Penuntut Ilmu: Pengenalan dan Terjemahan Kitab Ayyuhal Walad karangan Imam al-Ghazali* (w.505H/1111M) (2023)
- ② “Penyucian Jiwa sebagai Teras Pendidikan dan Prasyarat Peradaban” dalam *Pendidikan dan Peradaban*, Kuala Lumpur: IKIM Press, 2023.
- ② *Developing the Islamic Mind*, Nik Roskiman & Mohd. Noor bin Omar eds. Kuala Lumpur: IKIM Press, 2022
- ② “Ganjaran Ibadah Ketika Kekangan Wabak” in *Islam & Wabak: Pengajaran daripada Covid-19*, edited by Mohamad A’sim bin Ismail. Kuala Lumpur: IKIM Press, 2020.
- ② “Islam Prohibits Dissemination of Fake News” in *Islam & Pandemics: Lessons from Covid-19*, edited by Mastura binti Mohd. Zain & Mohamad A’sim bin Ismail. Kuala Lumpur: IKIM Press, 2020.
- ② “Peranan Media Dalam Penyebaran Dakwah Islami di Nusantara”, in *Ulama Melayu Nusantara: Peranan Dalam Institusi Islam*, JAIS-KUIS: 2018.

- ② “Dari Konti ke Mata Tinta” edited by Nik Hasnah Ismail. Kuala Lumpur: IKIM, 2017. Involved in reviewing and editing six IKIMfm Radio Programmes to published in the book form :
- Tahsinul Ibadah IKIMfm, Islam itu Indah IKIMfm
 - Motivasi Pagi IKIMfm, Pesona D’Zahra IKIMfm, Ibrahim IKIMfm, Hayatul Rasul IKIMfm.

- The Road to Mecca, Muhammad Asad, was appointed by Institut Terjemahan dan Buku Negara to review and evaluate on its suitability for a Malay translation of the work, 2016.

- ② *Al-Ghazali on the Adminstrative Ethics (with special refrence to His Nasihat al- Muluk)*. ISTAC-IIUM, 2003.

JOURNAL / PAPER PRESENTATION / ABSTRACT/ REVIEW

- ② “Revisiting Some Aspects of Shaykh Abd al-Samad al-Falimbani’s (d.1837) Biography in Light of Fayd al-Ihsani,” *International Journal of Social Science Research* Vol.1 no.2 (2019):35-43.
- ② “Peranan Media dalam Melestarikan Masyarakat Kasih Sayang”, *Prosiding Wacana Keputeraan Sultan Muhammad V* (Jeli: Universiti Malaysia Kelantan, 2015), 181-192.
- ② *Managing Religious-Based Radio Station: 13 Years Experience of IKIMfm Malaysian Radio Station*, 5th. International Radio Forum, 10-12th. May 2014, Tehran, Iran organised by ABU & IRIB. (Collection of Abstracts)
- ② “Pembangunan Berteraskan Islam” oleh M. Syukri Salleh, Utusan Publication & Distribution, Kuala Lumpur, 2002, 102 pages in *Jawhar: Jurnal Ulasan Buku*, Jilid 1 Bil.1 (2004), 48-52. (Book review)

JOURNAL MANAGEMENT

As the Managing Editor of *TAFHIM: IKIM Journal of Islam and the Contemporary World*, I am responsible for the overall publication of *TAFHIM* bi-annually from 2019—until now with 5-6 articles to be solicited, evaluated, edited and managed for each volume. The journal can be accessed via URL: www.tafhim.ikim.gov.my. Below are the published articles with its respective volume of publication:

- ② Volume 12 No.1(June 2019)
1. Alparslan Açıkgönç. The Relationship between Language, Epistemology and Science: How to Preserver our Scientific Language?
 2. Adi Setia Mohd. Dom. Islam, the West & Human Rights Discourse: Towards a Mutually Prospective Engagement.
 3. Muhammad Syafiq Borhanuddin. On Justice in Islam: A Brief Survey and Reflections Based on the Writings of Fazlur Rahman (1911-1988)
 4. Enizahura Abdul Aziz. State-NGOs Relationship and Development in Muslim Societies: A Preliminary Analysis on Political Space for NGO in Malaysia.
 5. Muhammad Ikhwan Azlan. Matematik and Realiti. Satu Penelitian Terhadap Takrif-Takrif Matematik.

② Volume 12 No.2(December 2019)

1. Amer Al-Roubaie, Adel Sarea. Building Capacity for Green Economy: The Role of Islamic Finance.
2. Murni Wan Mohd Nor. Blasphemy and Religious Defamation: What are the Limits to Our Freedom?.
3. Nor Aina Mohd Khotib, Noor Naemah Abdul Rahman, Shaikh Mohd Saifuddeen. The Soul: Why Medical Practitioners and Islamic Scholars Do Not Accept Brain Death Concept?
4. Salina Ahmad. Al-Attas on Language and Thought: Its Relation to Worldview, Change and Translation.
5. Mohd Nahar Mohd Arshad. Komponen Utama Gaji Kehidupan Wajar.

② Volume 13 No.1(June 2020)

1. Eric Winkel, Navigating a Fractal World: Civilizational Renewal towards Sustainability.
2. Ahmed Mabrouk, Quantum Physics and the Boundaries of Human Perception.
3. Siti Fatimah Abdul Rahman, Financial Education Programmes Organised by Mosques as a Platform to Increase Financial Literacy in Malaysia.
4. Muhammad Nusni Mohd. Amin, The Dominion of the Scholars: A Preliminary Look into Islam's Civilizational Contribution in the Pre-Modern Region of Khurasan.
5. Aliza bin Elias, Menilai Kembali Faham "Budi" melalui pembacaan teks-teks Manuskrip Melayu hingga Kurun ke-18: Suatu Penelitian Awal.

② Volume 13 No.2 (December 2020)

1. Md.Asham Ahmad, Sacaklizade's Risalah Waladiah: A Treatise on the Art of Disputation for Beginners.
2. Shakira Alisakun, Islam and Democracy: A Study of Rachid Gannouchi's Views
3. Narizan binti Abdullah, Determinants of the Halal Cosmetics Adoption among Young Consumers in the Klang Valley.
4. Muhammad Khairi bin Zainal, Inflation Lessons from al-Maqrizi.
5. Tatiana A.Denisova, Kajian Koleksi Tamadun Islam di Perpustakaan IKIM dan Kepentingannya.

② Volume 14.No.1 (June 2021)

1. Muhammad Yusra bin Ahmad Hulaimi, Ebrahim Moosa and Postmodernism: Some Close Resemblances and Implications.
2. Khairul Azhar bin Idris & Abdul Latif Abdul Razak, Children with Neurodevelopmental Disorders from the Islamic Perspectives.
3. Sinal Sumbul & Mohamad Zaini Othman, Evaluation of the Articles about the Malay World in Selected Ottoman Periodicals Published in the Early 20th. Century.
4. Che Amnah Bahari, An Analysis of Ibn Qutaybah's Positive Syncronization of Mukhtalif al-Hadith.
5. Izal bin Mustafa Kamar, Analisis Kritikan Jasser Auda terhadap Kaedah al-Naskh

② Volume 14.No.2 (December 2021)

1. Saul Jihad Takahashi, The Ummah Guardian of Muslim in an Age of Weakened Citizenship Rights.
2. Norkumala binti Awang, The Application of Food Safety Within the Reference Standards for Halal Food in Malaysia: An Overview.
3. Khayrurrijal, Al-Attas's View on the Importance of Man in Our Understanding of the Cosmos.
4. Rosmidzatul Azila binti Mat Yamin, Eco-Mosques: Overview, Potential and Challenges of Implementation in Malaysia.
5. Zainun binti Mustafa & Nooraida binti Yakob, Kajian Awal untuk Menyemak Alat bagi Mengukur Hubungan Sains-Islam dalam Kalangan Murid Aliran Sains.

② Volume 15.No.1 (June 2022)

1. Mohd Farid Mohd Shahran. Promordial Covenant as the Basis of Religion: The Qur'anic Mithaq of Alastu According to Syed Muhammad Naquib al-Attas.
2. Fathiyyatunnur Idris. The Misconceptions of Religious Pluralism and Religious Plurality Held by Muslims in Malaysia.
3. Mohd Noor Omar/ Introducing Maqasid Framework for Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC).
4. Khalif Muammar A. Harris. Prinsip-prinsip Umum Falsafah dan Etika Alam Sekitar Menurut Perspektif Islam.
5. Nor Aishah Abu Hassan, Nur Shahidah Paad, Asmawati Muhamad. Dakwah Pelestarian Alam Sekitar: Analisis Terhadap Keperibadian dan Strategi Azizan Baharuddin.

② Volume 15.No.2 (December 2022)

1. Amer Al-Roubaie. Islamic Social Finance and Global Inequalities: The Case of COVID-19
2. Fadillah Mansor, Ahmad Naim Abdullah, Zairani Zainol. Exploring the Concept of Financial Planning from the Perspective of Maqāṣid al-Sharī'ah
3. Suzana Md Samsudi. Family Well-being Index Based on Maqāṣid al-Sharī'ah
4. Azrina Sobian. Household Food Waste Reduction: An Islamic Perspective
5. Muhammad Ayman Al-Akiti. Bahaya Pemikiran Takfirī terhadap Ahli Sunnah Wal Jamaah di Malaysia

RESEARCH

- ② Mac 2023 - Penyelidikan Berkelompok: Kajian Soal Jawab Kefahaman Islam Bhg. Kedua. Membangunkan bahagian “Etika dan Akhlak dalam Islam” (masih berjalan dijangka selesai Dis 2023).

Output: Monograf

- ② 2022 - Penyelidikan Berkelompok: Kajian terhadap Tahap Kefahaman Hak Asasi Manusia dalam Kalangan Penjawat Awam di Lembah Klang, (masih berjalan dijangka selesai Dis 2023)

Output: (i) Program Radio (ii) Akhbar (iii) Muzakarah Pakar.

- ② 2021 -Penyelidikan Berkelompok: Membangunkan satu daripada enam modul Berfikir dengan Hikmah atau dipanggil: “Thinking with Wisdom”, iaitu modul kelima “Prospective Thinking”. (selesai)

Output: Modul Latihan.

(Nota: Dua bengkel latihan telah berjaya diadakan yang dihadiri oleh sekitar 60 orang peserta pada 15-17 November 2022 dan 11-13 Mei 2023)

- ② 2020 - Penyelidikan Individu: Menterjemahkan dari bahasa Arab ke Bahasa Melayu dengan pengenalan dan nota kaki kitab *Ayyuhal Walad* karangan Imam al-Ghazali r.a.(selesai)

Output: Buku (bakal diterbitkan 2023, sekarang masih dalam proses percetakan)

- ② Penyelidikan Individu (belum didaftarkan): Menterjemah beserta nota kaki kitab al-Izz ibn Abdus Salam berjudul “*Fawa'id al-Balwa, wal Mihan wal Razaya*” ke dalam bahasa Melayu. (peringkat pengumpulan bahan)

Output: Monograf.

NEWSPAPER ARTICLES

[Panduan: BH = Berita Harian | UM = Utusan Malaysia | SH = Sinar Harian
NST = New Straits Times | IKIM = IKIM website]

- 16.01.2023 – Integrity (*Al-Siddiq*) Seornag Pemimpin, *IKIM*
06.01.2023 – Of Landslides and Floods: Triah or Wrath of God, *IKIM*
25.10.2022 – Politics is about Integrity not Perception, *IKIM*
26.08.2022 – Poor Faith Root Cause of Corruption, *NST*.
26.08.2022 – Curse of Allah on the Corrupted, *IKIM*
12.08.2022 – Ancaman kepada Pemimpin Zalim dan Penyokongnya, *IKIM*.
12.08.2022 – Tutup Pintu Kezaliman Elak Pemimpin Khianat, *BH*
29.07.2022 – Pilih Pemimpin Sebab Akhlak Bukan Karisma, *UM*
15.05.2022 – Sifat Malu Benteng Orang Beriman Daripada Maksiat, *BH*
11.03.2022 – Miliki Integriti Cerminan Ketakwaan Umat Islam, *BH*
25.02.2022 – Integrity a Sign of Piety, *IKIM*.
14.01.2022 – The Value of Time, *IKIM*
07.01.2022 – Charity is not A Way to Purify Corruption, *IKIM*.
05.12.2021 – Belanja ke Jalan Agama Bukan Syarat Sucikan Rasuah, *BH*.
05.12.2021 – Rasuah Menguji Keimanan, *IKIM*.
23.07.2021 – Altruism the Basic Recipe for Socioeconomic Justice, *NST*.
23.07.2021 – Altruism during the Pandemic, *IKIM*
19.02.2021 – Hormati Fatwa Pihak Berkua Agama, *UM*.
22.01.2021 – Laksana Hukuman Mampu Gerunkan Pihak Terbabit Rasuah, *BH*.
22.01.2021 – Hukuman Lebih Berat Kepada Pengkhianat, *IKIM*.
08.01.2021 – Happy New Year, *IKIM*.
17.09.2020 – Freedom from Hatred and Enmity, *IKIM*.
21.08.2020 – Hijrah Tuntut Perubahan dan Kebiasaan Baharu, *IKIM*
15.08.2020 – Strengthening the Faith to Curb Bribery, *IKIM*.
19.06.2020 – Kewajipan Menasihati Pemimpin, *IKIM*
10.03.2020 – Novel-19 Coronavirus: Online Misinformation, *IKIM*
18.03.2019 – Clamouring for Justice, but Which One?, *Bernama.com*
26.01.2019 – Muhasabah Kepentingan Masa, *IKIM*.
29.10.2018 – A Mercy to the World, *IKIM*.
18.07.2018 – Pemikiran Generasi Muda Terkesan Teruk dengan Media, *SH*.
27.04.2018 – Fake News & Lack of Faith, *IKIM*

07.07.2017 – Rumah Terbuka, Ruang Bermaafan.. *BH*
30.06.2017 – Usah Putus Asa, Terus Berdoa, *BH*
23.06.2017 – Usah Terleka Kemerahan Syawal, *BH*.
16.06.2017 – Istiqamah: Cabar Diri Untuk Disiplin, *BH*
09.06.2017 – Ramadan Bulan Uji Kesabaran, *BH*
02.06.2017 – Elak Tujuh Anggota Tubuh Terlibat Maksiat, *BH*
05.06.2017 - Ramadan Didik Diri Merasa Diawasi, *UM*
14.07.2017- PenghapusanTerancang Rohingya, *BH*
21.07.2017 – Penuhi Usia Dengan Amalan Berkat, *BH*
28.07.2017 – Strategi Menuju Puncak Kejayaan, *BH*
07.08.2017 – Haram Berbicara Maksiat Tanpa Sebab, *UM*
11.08.2017 – Manfaat Terbesar Menuntut Ilmu, *BH*
18.08.2017 - Berdoa Untuk Ibubapa Setiap Hari, *BH*
02.09.2017 - Fahami Erti Sebenar Kebebasan, *BH*.
23.12.2016 - Ilmu Fardu Ain Tidak Statik. *BH*
28.10.2016 - Rujuk Teks Sahaja Tidak Cukup, *BH*.
09.09.2016 - Elak Salah Faham Terhadap Islam.
08.06.2016 – Ramadan Bulan Mendulang Pahala, *SH*
02.02.2016 – Terrorism Not in Islam’s Name, *The Star*

OTHER INVOLVEMENTS

- ② Panel Penasihat Yayasan Anti Rasuah Malaysia (YARM) since 2016 until now.
- ② Visiting Scholar, Madina Institute Malaysia since 2018 until now.
- ② Ahli Panel Memperkasa Tulisan Jawi, Majlis Dakwah Negara (MDN) 2017-2019.
- ② Majlis Pakar Agama, Pusat Serantau Asia Tenggara bagi Mencegah Keganasan (SEARCCT), 2019.
- ② Ahli Jawatankuasa Pengajian Bagi Program Sarjana Muda Pengajian Islam dan Teknologi Maklumat (SMPITM) Akademi Pengajian Islam Universiti Malaya, 2017.
- ② Pengerusi Masjid (Persendirian) Hajjah Halimah, Batu Jong Kuala Krai, Kelantan until now.

