

## Forskning

I am a post-doc researcher at School of Social Work, Lunds University. I did my Ph.D from Norwegian University of Sciences and Technology (NTNU - Trondheim). My Ph.D research is an ethnographic study on infant healthcare belief practices and social value of the child in rural Punjab. With a psychological anthropological perspective this research produced five articles related to native anthropology, social value of the child, and a magico-religious interpretation of infant health care belief practices. My post-doc research project is about social resilience among young adult migrants adults living in Sweden. This is a qualitative research exploring the lived experiences of young adult migrants. Recently I published my article "Conceptualizing social resilience in the context of migrants' lived experiences" in Geoforum. I discussed the issues in conceptualization social resilience in migration studies, and proposed a definition of social resilience in this context.

## Kvalifikationer

Interdisciplinary Child Research, Ph.D, Infant Healthcare Belief Practices and Social Value of the Child in Rural Punjab, Norwegian University of Science and Technology  
Tilldelningsdatum: 2019 maj 2

## Anställning

### Postdoc

Socialhögskolan  
Lunds universitet  
Lund, Sverige  
2021 apr. 15 → present

### Postdoc

Barn, unga och familj  
Lunds universitet  
Lund, Sverige  
2022 nov. 29 → present

## Forskningsoutput

**Young Adult Migrants' Social Experiences in Sweden: 'Melting Pot' and 'Salad Bowl' Perspectives on Social Integration**  
Qamar, A. H., 2024 mars 26, (E-pub ahead of print) I: Children & Society.

**Denmark has banned the burning of holy books to protect its multicultural society**  
Qamar, A. H., 2024 jan. 10, The Loop - ECPR's Political Science Blog.

**Birth Care Belief Practices: Traditional Mother-Child Care during Birth in Rural Punjab, Pakistan**  
Qamar, A. H. & Azher, S., 2024, I: Journal of Ethnology and Folkloristics. 18, 1, s. 167-185

### **Social Resilience: A Critical Synopsis of Existing Definitions**

Qamar, A. H., 2024, (Accepted/In press) I: Corvinus Journal of Sociology and Social Policy.

### **Re-calling Magical Thinking: Different, yet Connected Views on Magical Thinking**

Qamar, A. H., 2023 dec. 19, Qeios.

### **Researching Social Resilience in the Context of Migrants' Life Transition: A Qualitative Methodological Mosaic**

Qamar, A. H., 2023 dec. 1, I: Psychology : Journal of the Higher School of Economics / Psikhologiya. Zhurnal Vysshoi Shkoly Ekonomiki. 20, 4, s. 796-813 s.

**Decision making among residents in training of obstetrics and gynecology: A qualitative exploration in Pakistani context**  
Younas, S., Khanum, S. & Qamar, A. H., 2023 nov. 2, I: PLoS ONE. 18, 11, 23 s., e0287592.

**The Tidö Agreement drags Sweden's social welfare sector into ethical crisis**

Qamar, A. H., 2023 okt. 16, The Loop - ECPR's Political Science Blog.

**Burning a holy book: the dilemma of free speech**

Qamar, A. H., 2023 aug. 18, The Loop - ECPR's Political Science Blog.

**Social dimensions of Resilience and Climate Change: A rapid review of theoretical approaches**

Qamar, A. H., 2023 juli 9, I: PRESENT ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT. 17, 1, s. 139-153 15 s., 10.

**Unstructured Interviews – A Conversational Iceberg**

Qamar, A. H., 2023 juni 12, SAGE Publications.

**The Church's Café Serving Migrants in Sweden: Creating a Support Network for Social Resilience**

Qamar, A. H., 2023 feb. 16.

**Conceptualizing social resilience in the context of migrants' lived experiences**

Qamar, A. H., 2023 jan. 24, I: Geoforum. 139, 103680.

**The Doll's Marriage: An Ethnographic Encounter with Rural Children and Childhood**

Qamar, A. H., 2022 dec. 14, SAGE Publications.

**The Traveler, Miner, and Gardener: Metaphors for Making Teaching and Learning a Meaningful Process**

Qamar, A. H., 2022 nov. 17.

**Social Dimensions of Resilience and Climate Change: A Rapid Review**

Qamar, A. H., 2022 aug. 25.

**Social Value of the Child: A Resource for Enhanced Social Experience and Social Resilience in Pro-baby Global South**

Qamar, A. H., 2022 juli 12, s. 3-4. 1 s.

**Social Value of the Child**

Qamar, A. H., 2022 mars 4, Contexts, 21, 1, s. 40-45 6 s.

**Problematizing Definition of Social Resilience: A Scoping Review of Popular Definitions.**

Qamar, A. H., 2022 feb. 10, s. 55. 55 s.

**Social value of the child in the global south: A multifaceted concept**

Qamar, A. H., 2022, I: Journal of Early Childhood Research. 20, 4, s. 610-623 14 s.

**Motherhood: A Resource for Social Resilience and Holistic Wellbeing**

Qamar, A. H., 2021 dec. 8.

**Where Medicine 'Fails': The Evil Eye and Childcare Beliefs among Rural Saraiki Mothers in Punjab, Pakistan**

Qamar, A. H. & ul-Ain, Q., 2021 aug. 9, I: Social Medicine. 14, 2, s. 87-95 9 s.

**What is a Child? Exploring Conceptualization of Pakistani Adolescents About Children**

Qamar, A. H., 2021 juli 7, I: Journal of Childhood Studies. 46, 2

**Conceptualizing and Researching Resilience: Need for Theoretical and Methodological Triangulation**  
Qamar, A. H., 2021 maj 4.

**Risk Perception and Protective Behavior in the Context of COVID-19: a Qualitative Exploration**  
Siddiqui, S. & Qamar, A. H., 2021, I: Asian Bioethics Review. 13, 4, s. 401-420

## **Aktiviteter**

**Workshop on Crisis Inequalities and Social Resilience**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (presentatör)  
2024 maj 29

**Conference on Civil Society Studies**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (medverkande)  
2024 apr. 18

**Social Resilience: A Paradigm Shift from Psychology of Resilience to Social Psychology of Resilience (I to We and Wellness)**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (medverkande)  
2024 mars 5 → 2024 mars 8

**Social Resilience and Social Integration: Challenges in Social Work**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (Roll ej angiven)  
2023 nov. 6

**Politics and Power of Resilience (POWERS)**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (presentatör)  
2023 okt. 31 → 2023 nov. 1

**'From Political Crisis to Permacrisis in Pakistan: Changes and Challenges**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (Roll ej angiven)  
2023 sep. 29

**Vulnerability, Social Capital and Psychology**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (Roll ej angiven)  
2023 sep. 20

**Hybrid Symposium on Crisis Resilience: Precariousness, Politics, and Potentialities. Launching Global Discourse Special Issue**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (Ordförande för en session)  
2023 maj 17

**Research day for early career innovation researchers**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (Roll ej angiven)  
2023 maj 2

**Social resilience and social integration**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (Roll ej angiven)  
2023 apr. 18

**Poster Exhibition: Being Well? – Social Resilience in a Changing World (Att ha det bra – Social resiliens i en föränderlig värld).**  
Azher Hameed Qamar (medlem av programkommitté)  
2023 apr. 17 → 2023 apr. 22

**Poster Exhibition: Being Well? – Social Resilience in a Changing World (Att ha det bra – Social resiliens i en föränderlig värld).**

Azher Hameed Qamar (medverkande)  
2023 apr. 17 → 2023 apr. 22

**Psycho-Social Capital and Resilience in the Context of Climate Change**

Azher Hameed Qamar (Roll ej angiven)  
2022 sep. 20

**CHILD MIGRATION AND INTEGRATION: TRENDS AND CHALLENGES**

Azher Hameed Qamar (presentatör)  
2022 juni 2 → 2022 juni 4

**Knowledge for Sustainable Development – Lund University Research Conference**

Azher Hameed Qamar (Ordförande för en session)  
2022 maj 2

**Knowledge for Sustainable Development – Lund University Research Conference**

Cerina Wittbom (organisatör), Anna Meeuwisse (organisatör), Heiner Linke (organisatör), Johannes Persson (organisatör), Susanne Arvidsson (organisatör), Agnes Andersson Djurfeldt (medlem av programkommitté), Ellen Hillbom (medlem av programkommitté), Henrik Thorén (medlem av programkommitté), Lars J Nilsson (medlem av programkommitté), Vasna Ramasar (ordförande), Per Mickwitz (Ordförande för en session), Kristina Jönsson (huvudtalare), Julia Leventon (huvudtalare), Jim Skea (huvudtalare), Susanne Arvidsson (Ordförande för en session), Heiner Linke (Ordförande för en session), Tanya Andersson Nystedt (Ordförande för en session), Henrik Thorén (Ordförande för en session), Ellen Hillbom (Ordförande för en session), Lars J Nilsson (Ordförande för en session), Azher Hameed Qamar (Ordförande för en session), Johannes Persson (Ordförande för en session), Lauge Peter Westergaard Clausen (presentatör), Martin Lundqvist (presentatör), Mikael Ekvall (presentatör), Tommy Cedervall (presentatör), Mattias Wallergård (presentatör), Maria Hedin (presentatör), Alexandros Sopasakis (presentatör), Anders Sjöström (presentatör), Katja Woxell (presentatör), Rebecca Alice Pryce (presentatör), Jonas Michanek (presentatör), Max Koch (talare), Riya Raphael (talare), Peter M Nilsson (talare) & Marlis Wullenkord (talare)  
2022 maj 2

**Society for Critical Studies of Crisis (SCSC), Spring 2021 Webinar Series on Critical Explorations of Crisis.**

Patric Nordbeck (organisatör), Helle Rydström (organisatör), Teres Hjärpe (organisatör), Sara Kauko (organisatör), Azher Hameed Qamar (organisatör) & Liv Gaborit (Roll ej angiven)  
2022 jan. → ...

**Psychological Anthropology: Using Ethnography in Psychological Research**

Azher Hameed Qamar (Roll ej angiven)  
2021 nov. 29

**Social Resilience and Migration**

Azher Hameed Qamar (Roll ej angiven)  
2021 nov. 4

**Samhällsvetare kraftsamlar kring social resiliens**

Liv Gaborit (intervjuad), Sara Kauko (intervjuad), Patric Nordbeck (intervjuad), Azher Hameed Qamar (intervjuad) & Teres Hjärpe (intervjuad)  
2021 okt. 7

**Society for Critical Studies of Crisis (SCSC), Fall 2021 Webinar Series on Social Resilience in Crisis Times.**

Helle Rydström (organisatör), Teres Hjärpe (organisatör), Sara Kauko (organisatör), Azher Hameed Qamar (organisatör), Liv Gaborit (organisatör) & Patric Nordbeck (organisatör)  
2021 sep. → 2022 jan.

## Projekt

### **CISR: Crisis Inequalities and Social Resilience (CISR)**

Rydström, H., Turner, S., Hill, A., Banerjee, S., Hjärpe, T., Nicoli Aldini, C., Caretta, M. A., Gregoratti, C., Gustafsson, N., Harnesk, D., Islar, M., Kauko, S., Kim, Y., Linnell, M., Lundqvist, M., Lundberg, T., Mathieu, C., Di Matteo, C., Mattsson, A., Nordbeck, P., Qamar, A. H., Samper, J. A., Solano, P., Wiggill, M. & Zhao, H.  
2023/04/27 → ...

### **Social Resilience: Lived Experiences of Young Adult Migrants in Sweden**

Qamar, A. H.  
2021/04/01 → ...

### **Social Resilience: The Lived Experience of Young Adult Immigrants in Sweden**

Qamar, A. H.