

Sairah YUSUF



I am research, monitoring and evaluation specialist, with experience designing and conducting evaluation work in 12 countries across Asia, Africa and Europe. Proven ability to lead projects with diverse teams to deliver programmatic results and research-based outputs to community members, donors, and government partners.

University:	Oxford
College:	St Antony's
Degree:	MPhil Comparative Government
Years of study:	2010
Country of residence:	
Occupation:	
Current:	South Asia Programme Manager for Saferworld
Previous:	
How has the Noon award helped you?	<i>Without the Noon award, I would not have been able to take up a place at Oxford. The award allowed me to delve deeply into issues of interest to me: political violence, marginalisation, and informal institutions in such detail, and gave me the financial freedom to focus strongly on my studies, afford to engage in extracurriculars, and complete my degree with distinction. All my professional engagements have built on the themes I studied during my Master's degree, trying to find ways to move them beyond the academic sphere and into practice.</i>

How have you contributed to Pakistan since the award?	<i>I have been working in the development sector in Pakistan, Jordan, and the UK. In each of these locations I have been closely involved in programming that deals with conflict and violence in Pakistan. This includes assessing the impact of programmes that aim to address the damaging effects of conflict in the country, by developing evidence-based analysis. This has helped shape donor engagement with Pakistan, as well as contribute to shaping geopolitical narratives.</i>
Other information	
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