

## **Riaz Ahmad** *(Air Cdre Rtd)*

Management & Security Professional

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### **Education**

- **MBA Finance** — BZU Multan, 1996
- **MSc War Studies** — National Defence University Islamabad, 2017

### **Career Summary**

A dynamic & enterprising professional with meritorious service of 27 Years in Pakistan Air Force, marked by varied expertise in Administration, Financial Management, Security, Intelligence, Operations and Project Management. Exhibits high integrity with mature judgment and sound decision making. Highly skilled in interpersonal communication and adept at leading a team of professionals / staff to achieve desired goals.

### **Core Competencies**

- **Strategic Thinking:** Result oriented, achievement focused and analytical thinker.
- **Operations Management:** Commanded Air Traffic Management Squadron and played a vital role in ensuring operational readiness of multiple PAF Bases.
- **Security / Crises Management:** Formulated and implemented physical security plans and training policies.
- **HR Management:** Played a key role in rationalization of HR through skill level analysis, professional development and technology intensive solutions.
- **Infrastructure Management:** Flawlessly supervised development of technical and domestic infrastructure in PAF along with large-scale maintenance activities.
- **Event Management:** Meticulously organized various mega events and PAF functions.

### **Professional Experiences**

#### **Administrator South, Karachi**

(Aug 23 to Aug 24)

- Managed MOUs, Contracts and Settlement Agreements in respect of PAF welfare projects. Handled Court Litigations, and contractual affairs of PAF- Pvt Joint Venture project along with effective coordination with various federal / provincial ministries and civil organizations.
- Selected and engaged qualified firms / professionals for consultancy services and Legal expertise regarding planning and development of a PAF Housing Society.

#### **Director Security, Air Headquarters**

(July 22 to Aug 23)

- Reviewed and formulated physical security plans and training policies for all PAF Bases/Units.
- Conducted security HR reviews for the rational deployment of security manpower. Worked out Judicious requirement of security Infrastructure and equipment.

**Director Air Intelligence, Air Headquarters**

(Aug 21 to July 22)

- Systematically reviewed the policies and procedures for operations of Field Liaison Units to counter enemy Espionage, Sabotage & Subversion activities against PAF.
- Conducted expedient threat analysis, issued multiple threat advisories and supervised number of security / intelligence operations having direct relevancy with PAF.

**Officer Commanding Admin Wing, Shahbaz**

(June 20 to Aug 21)

- Efficiently managed resources (Financial, Human, Equipment & Infrastructure) of PAF Base.
- Played an instrumental role for rehabilitation of infrastructure (Operational, Residential, Water Supply, energy, safety etc.) worth Billions of Rupees.

**Officer Commanding Security Wing, Peshawar**

(Feb 19 to June 20)

- Ensured implementation of an adaptive and effective Force Protection Model.
- Revised security deployment plans and commendably utilized HR while keeping them in operational readiness & motivated state.

**Senior Liaison Officer, Air Headquarters**

(July 16 to Aug 18)

- Managed proficient operations of all PAFWA Educational Institutes along with Budgeting & Financial management of these institutes.
- Played an instrumental role for accreditation of various college disciplines as per HEC requirements.

**Officer Commanding ATS Squadron, Mushaf**

(Oct 15 to July 16)

- Ensured Safe, Expeditious & Efficient air space management through implementation of PAF recommended practices and ICAO regulations.
- Made relentless efforts and confirmed readiness of operational infrastructure (Runways, Taxi ways, Tarmacs, NAV Aids, Radars etc.)

**Officer In-charge Personnel Squadron, Mushaf**

(Dec 13 to Oct 15)

- Initiated development works including parks, fairways & monuments for beautification and landscaping.
- Deployed PAF Civilian HR and allocated large scale accommodation facilities in an organized manner.

**Instructor School of Intelligence, Peshawar**

(Oct 12 to Dec 13)

- Justified achievement of the Desired Learning Objectives through consistent & dedicated efforts.
- Inclusion of various new topics in the curriculum of different Intelligence Courses as per contemporary requirements in order to impart quality training.

## **Officer Commanding Field Liaison Unit, Risalpur**

(July 06 to March 09)

- Remained successful through apprehension / interrogation of multiple suspects in countering the hostile intelligence / disruption efforts against PAF.
- Played an important role for smooth and safe conduct of PAF training activities and mega events involving participation of national / international dignitaries.

## **Liaison Officer for USAF Operations (PAK-Afghan Border)**

(Oct 01 to Nov 01)

- Played a valuable role for coordination, support and facilitation of USAF flying operations at Dalbendin Airfield in connection with “Operation Enduring Freedom”.

## **Professional Training**

- Security Supervisor Course — 2019
- Senior Command & Staff Course — 2016
- Intelligence Analyst Course — 2013
- Approach Terminal Control Radar Course — 2008
- Basic Admin Course — 2007
- Interrogation Course — 2006
- Basic ATC (CATI) Course — 2004
- Officers’ Fire Prevention & Safety Course — 2000

## **Awards**

- Chief of the Air Staff Commendation Certificates (03 Awards)
- Letter of Appreciation by United States Air Force

## **Skills & Expertise**

Strategic Thinking and analytical Skills

Interpersonal skills to negotiate with different stakeholders

Ability to work under timelines and pressure situations

Well conversant with land procurement Practices and Regulations

Expertise in CI, CT and White Collar Crimes

Air Traffic Management

Contingency Planning