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Islamic Fiqh Academy (India)

The Objects, Activities & Plans

An Introduction

Islamic *Fiqh* Academy (India) (IFA) was established in 1988 at New Delhi under the guidance and supervision of the great known Islamic Scholars. It was registered as a charitable trust in the year 1990. *Hazrat Maulana Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi* was its founder Secretary General. He guided the Academy until his death. Academy is a registered NGO working as a research oriented organization since then.

The IFA through its diversified and remarkable work has created a distinguished and respectable place for itself, not only in India but also abroad. It has made distinct and indelible impressions upon the Muslim society and its voice commands respectability in the *Ummah*. The Academy maintains strong relations with various national and international academic circles.

The Academy has thankfully received precious contribution and cooperation from both religious and contemporary scholars. Hundreds of smaller and larger *Madrasas* (Islamic Learning Centers) and their teachers are in constant touch with the Academy. A large number of young graduates (*Fazils*) from *Madrasas* are being benefited greatly by various programmes conducted by the Academy. They are being trained for facing and combating the challenges of the future. Brilliant and outstanding students of a large number of *Madrasas* have found the training camps of the Academy, a rare occasion to have an exposure to the contemporary issues facing the *Ummah*.

Other programmes of the Academy have been received by the academic circles as valuable and precious contributions towards learning and scholarship.

The Academy has been coordinating and working with other academic and *Fiqh* institutions worldwide also. It has been putting special emphasis on coordinating with such institutions which are active in countries and areas with a significant Muslim minority population, like USA and Europe, on issues of *Fiqh* and Minorities.

The Academy considers that through this coordination with such institutions the identification of the problems faced by the Muslim minority communities, their analysis, and finally, finding the solutions can be carried out in an efficient and successful manner.

The Aims & Objects:

1. To find solutions for the contemporary problems brought up by the developments and changes in social, political, economic, industrial and technological spheres of life, in the light of the guidelines provided by the *Quran* and *Sunnah* and deliberations and interpretations of the companions of the Prophet and other pious classical jurists and scholars.
2. To make collective efforts to find out solutions to the contemporary problems or those problems of past which demand rethinking and research in the changing circumstances in line with the principles and methodology of *Fiqh*.
3. To conduct research projects on interpretation of the sources, principles, methodology, paradigms and other theoretical concepts of the Islamic *Fiqh* and their application in the present times.
4. To conduct contemporary interpretation of the Islamic *Fiqh*.
5. To publish the works of eminent savants and authentic Islamic institutions in the contemporary idiom and style as the common academic and juristic legacy.
6. To promote co-ordination between all Juristic and Research Institutions to examine the judicial verdicts vis-à-vis the interpretation and application of Islamic Law in India and abroad.
7. To prepare an index on different topics relating to the Islamic Jurisprudence.
8. To collect, edit and publish the verdicts (both published and unpublished) of the eminent savants and institutions as the common academic & juristic legacy in the contemporary idioms & style, in order to preserve it for the benefit to the future generations.
9. To organize seminars, symposium, conferences and study teams, establish academic and research institutions aiming at the fulfillment of objectives, according to our resources.

10. To appraise the misunderstandings and misinterpretations of different sections of the Society concerning the Islamic Jurisprudence and bring forth the true perspective of Islam.
11. To prepare literature consisting of the solution to new issues and challenges faced by Islam in contemporary idiom and style.
12. To direct potentials of the emerging Muslim scholars to knowledge and research creating favorable atmosphere of knowledge and scholarship by encouraging them and to make attempts to bring Islamic Scholars possessing sound knowledge and research base and intellectuals together.
13. To arrange necessary facilities of the contemporary education for the brilliant and intelligent graduates of Islamic Madaris and of the religious and juristic education for the scholars of universities aiming at the preparation of a new generation well versed both in religious and modern sciences.
14. To create awareness of utilizing the Academic and Fiqhi repertoires of different schools.
15. In reference to the aforesaid aims and objectives, to organize seminars, symposia, make study teams, organize training and juristic workshops, establish academic, educational and research institutions and to accomplish, subject to our resources, what is appropriate and beneficial in order to achieve the respective aims and objectives.

3. Administrative Structure:

On June 18, 1990 the IFA came into existence formally through the registration as a Trust. The IFA Council of Founders comprises of 17 distinguished and renowned *Fuqaha* and *Ulema*.

Maulana Mohammad Nematullah Azmi is its President and *Maulana* Khalid Saifullah Rahmani is the General Secretary.

Maulana Badrul Hasan Qasmi, *Maulana* Mohd Burhanuddin Sambhali, *Mufti* Mohammad Ashraf Ali Baqvi and Qazi Abdul Ahad Azhari are its Vice Presidents.

An eleven-member Academic Council supervises the academic programmes of the Academy. A nine member executive body looks into the all administration affairs.

A three-member special committee looks after the arrangement and organizational aspects of the *Fiqh* Seminars.

Mufti Mohammad Obaidullah Asadi, *Maulana* Ateeq Ahmad Bastawi and *Maulana* Amieen Usmani are its Seminar Secretary, Academic Secretary and administrative secretary respectively and *Mufti* Ahmad Yaqoob Devlawi is a treasurer.

Other prominent six *Ulema* and scholars associated with the Academy as its member.

4. PATRONS OF THE ACADEMY:

The IFA is getting the patronage and guidance of a number of prominent personalities of India. These esteemed patrons are:

1. *Maulana* Syed Mohammad Rabey Hasani Nadvi, President, All India Muslim Personal Law Board
2. *Maulana* Mohammad Salim Qasmi, Vice President, All India Muslim Personal Law Board
3. *Maulana* Syed Nizamuddin Qasmi - Ameer Shariat, Bihar, Orissa & Jharkhand

5. ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE:

Islamic Fiqh Academy (India) is a significant organization of their activities in the field of Education, Women rights & their dignities, Human Rights & their dignity, Health (specially in Aids), Economic and Modern Banking issues, Social issues and found many solutions of the problems facing by the civil society as below:

5.1. In the field of Education:

IFA is being enthusiastic to improve Madarsa Education system in the guideline of the Holy Quran, in this context IFA have been organized many lecture & seminar in deferent part of the country. IFA is committed to develop an Intellectual Growth of Students of *Madāris* in India, in this segment IFA have been also organized various seminars, workshops, series of lectures, training Camps on different Issues of social sciences, Objectives of Shariah, How to teach Arabic language, Principals of Islamic Jurisprudence, Ideological development, Unity of Ummah, Research Methodology to Understand the Modern Issues in the Light of Islamic Jurisprudence, Method of teaching Arabic as a second language, Education of Islamic Economics at Islamic Schools in India, Coaching pattern of Islamic Fiqh in Madaris, System

of Ifta & Qaza in India, Religious Educational System, Heritage of Jurisprudence in India, Shari'a Methods of Interfaith Dialogue, Arabic Language in India.

5.2. Women rights & their dignities:

IFA is in serious concern with women exploitations in India, as happening in present society the women is either being exploited or they eliminate by the society before her birth and if she entered in conjugal life she is being tortured by her husband and their family members for the dowry and getting undue advantages and so on, in this context IFA have been organized several conferences, workshops and lectures in different part of country as cited: Rights of the Bride, the Bridegroom and the Guardians in *Nikāh*, *Nikāh* by Telephone, Video Conferencing and Internet, *Nikāh* by Force, Family Parity (*Kufū*) in Marriage, Marriage on Conditions, Injunctions of Shariah about *Mehr*, Position of Demanding Dowry from the Bride's Family, One Divorce in a State of Intoxication (*Talāq-e-Sakran*), Inheritance of Agricultural Property by Muslim Women, Sex Education, , Women's Employment, Divorce granted by a Court of Law in a Non Muslim Country, Position of Shariah on Birth Control and Abortion, on the cited above topics IFA have been published books also.

5.3. Human rights & their dignities:

Human rights is a major issue of the civil society in present scenario, IFA is more enthusiastic to sort out the issue, in this regard IFA have been organized several conferences, workshops and lectures in different part of country for find out the solution of the concerning problems, such as Rights of the Prisoners, Citizenship and its issues, Issues related with Contract, Issues related with heritage and will, Issues related with Hiba. Concept of freedom and Islamic Law, Confines of Freedom, Concept of freedom and its application in Islamic Jurisprudence, Human Rights-In Perspective of Minority Rights. Apart from these IFA have organized many conferences, workshops and lectures in different part of country as per the norms and method as mentioned below.

5.4. Fiqhi Seminar and its Methodology:

Fiqhi seminars are one of the most important activities of the IFA. The Academy has utilized this method as a tool for advancement of collective *Ijtihad* among the contemporary jurists.

The Academy follows a unique methodology for debating new issues and the decisions are derived at after passing several stages of research and probe. The first stage is to select topics

to be discussed in the seminar. For this purpose the opinions in writing are sought from personalities participating in seminar for forthcoming seminars. All opinions forwarded so far in different seminars have been completely listed. The Academic Council of the Academy comprised of distinguished writers and academicians also gives its advices concerning subjects, thereafter; the Executive Body selects topics for forthcoming seminars in view of all these suggestions and national and international circumstances. The attempts are made as such that these topics should be related to diverse spheres of life and in tune with the present conditions and requirements.

Now the secretaries of the Academy prepare the questionnaire containing points to be discussed as to this topic. Thereafter, the Secretary General tries to elaborate and scrutinize the questionnaire further. In preparation of the questionnaire the experts of modern sciences are engaged into discussion for finding out relevant knowledge as per need. Then, the questionnaire is sent to the jurists and scholars in the country and abroad. If the question concerns scientific invention or social or economic issues, the papers are written by the experts of these fields on its academic and scientific aspects. In case these papers are prepared in English Language, they are translated into Urdu, and these versions are also sent to the jurists and Islamic scholars so that the nature of the issue should be elaborated and they should be aware with its particulars and nuances. The invitations of Fiqhi Seminar are sent to the jurists of the important institutions of all schools of thought as well as to those personalities who are involved in writing, teaching and jurisprudence or they are involved in Fiqh in any way. The papers coming from academicians are very large in numbers approximately more than 100 papers in each seminar and some times about 150-200.

The Academy abridges these articles as such that the opinions of all the papers written by scholars should be included in every issue. In case of unanimous opinion and otherwise the dissent is elaborated. The conclusions inferred by the paper writers on the basis of Quran and Sunnah are also mentioned in brief. The formal beginning of this process commenced since the 7th Seminar.

This abridgment is distributed among the participants on the occasion of Seminar for the purpose of easy reference at the time of discussion.

Thereafter, a “Presenters” are selected for different aspects of the topic out of the paper writers themselves in view of the semantic structure of the papers. The photocopy of all the research papers concerning this aspect are provided to them, they arrange the points given in the research papers and express their preferred opinions in the light of proofs mentioned in them.

Then the participants in the Seminar express their opinions in view of their research and study, and the abridgment of papers and discussion of the presenters. All the participants are permitted to take part in the discussion and sufficient time is granted to them for the purpose. This discussion is also recorded by the tape recorder and an educated person is appointed for this work as to note down all the points coming in during the discussion. By the grace of Allah, all this discussions are carried out in a serious, tranquil and peaceful atmosphere with mutual respect and feeling of arriving at the truth and right decision and due to dissent no unpleasant event occurs.

On this stage the responsibility of elaborating the nature of the issue is assigned to the experts of the contemporary sciences and the select experts in conformity of the topic under discussion also participate in the Seminar. After provision of information concerning the topic by them, analysis of issues and discussion from them the participants in the Seminar get assistance in arriving at decisions. After completion of discussion one sub committee is constituted to prepare the resolutions. The criteria of selection of the committee is that they have either written a good research paper on the topic or they have distinguishingly participated in the discussion, or they have wide experience of issuing fatwa, if unanimous opinion could not be achieved during discussion the representative persons holding both opinions are included in the committee. Now this committee produces the resolution in the General Assembly of the invitees of Seminar after more discussion in view of points adduced in discussion and papers and some times a few minor changes are introduced on this stage as well. The resolution passed unanimously is mentioned unanimously. In case when the vast majority hold an opinion and a very few persons hold their opinion otherwise, the former opinion is mentioned as the resolution with indication of another point of view with the names of the persons holding the same. And if there are sufficient numbers of the persons holding both the opinions both point of views are equally mentioned indicating the different point of views and the distinguished and significant personalities of both point of views are mentioned. The resolutions produced in the Seminar are published without any addition and omission.

This is the cautious, just and representative methodology of thought that is adopted for arriving at Shariah rulings.

These seminars have proved highly popular among the scholars. Hundreds of scholars from India and abroad have participated in these seminars. The deliberations in these seminars have immensely contributed towards finding widely acceptable solutions on the issues concerning contemporary society.

The Academy has organized 22 *Fiqh* Seminars so far in which around 127 important topics concerning contemporary world have been discussed in detail.

5.5. Issues:

A. Economic Issues:

Business Transactions by Modern Means of Communication, Status of Currency Notes in Shariah, Buying and Selling on Installments (*Bai-Bit-Taqseet*), Mark-up Pricing (*Murābaha*), Sale of Rights, Buying and Selling before getting Possession, Trade of Fish which are still in Water, Shares and their Sale and Purchase, Company Shares, The Issue of Security Deposit on Renting House or Shop (*Pagdi*), Insurance of Life and Property due to Communal Violence, The Status of Currency and its Exchange between Two Countries, Issues concerning Interest (*Riba*), Commercial Interest and the Islamic Shariah, On the Use of Bank Interest, Service Charges of Interest-Free Loan Societies, Guidelines for Islamic Banks, Feasibility of Islamic Banking in India, Establishment of Islamic Financial Institutions, Bank Cards, Multi Level Marketing, Educational Loan, Position of the existing Currency in Shariah, Tawarruq, Children's partnership in the business of their Father, Multidimensional Employments, an alternative to the prevailing insurance,

B. Medical Issues:

Medical Ethics in Islam, Position of Shariah on Birth Control and Abortion, Transplantation of Organs, Matters related to AIDS, Use of Alcohol, Medical Insurance, Genetic Test, DNA Test, Plastic Surgery, Death, when it is to be declared & artificial respiratory apparatus, Euthanasia – What the Shariah Enjoins?, Drugs (Narcotics) eradication of its production and use.

C. Social Issues:

Rights of the Bride, the Bridegroom and the Guardians in *Nikāh*, *Nikāh* by Telephone, Video Conferencing and Internet, *Nikāh* by Force, Family Parity (*Kufū*) in Marriage, Marriage on Conditions, Injunctions of Shariah about *Mehr*, Position of Demanding Dowry from the Bride's Family, One Divorce in a State of Intoxication (*Talāq-e-Sakran*), Inheritance of Agricultural Property by Muslim Women, Sex Education,

Rights of the Prisoners, Women's Employment, Divorce granted by a Court of Law in a Non Muslim Country, Joint and Nuclear Families, how to resolve conflicts between couples, Water Resources

D. Modern Technology:

Use of Internet and other Modern Means of Communication, Change in the Nature of Substances and its Juridical Implications, Slaughtering by Machines, Using Gelatin, Cloning.

E. Theoretical Issues:

The View of Shariah on Differences among Various Schools of Islamic Jurisprudence, Injunctions regarding Feeble *Ahādith*, Consideration for Want and Necessity in Shariah, Validity of Customs and Practices in Shariah

F. Issues related to Worship and Offerings (*Ibadat*):

Position of Mosques according to Shariah, The Issues related to *Hajj and 'Umrah*, *Zakāt* and the Exemption of Bare Necessities, *Zakāt* on Debts, *Zakāt* on Business Advances and Security Deposits, *Zakāt* on Diamonds and Jewelry, *Zakāt* on Provident Funds, The status of the Muhtamim (Manager) and Contribution Collectors of Madarsa, Investment of *Zakāt* Money, Collection of *Zakāt* on Commission, *Zakāt* on the Assets of *Madāris*, *Zakāt* on Prohibited Sums (*Mal-e-Haram*), Payment of *Zakāt* as Stipends to Students, Clarification on the Meaning of *Fi Sabilillāh*, Lands on which Agriculture Cess (*'Ushr*) and Revenue is Levied, Deduction of Expenses for determining the *Nisab* of *'Ushr*, Method of Payment of Revenue (*Kharāj*) and adjusting it against the Government Revenue, Agriculture Cess (*'Ushr*) on Produce of *'Ushri* Lands, *'Ushr* on Lands under Tenancy, *'Ushr* on Fish, *Makhana*, Silk, etc., *'Ushr* on the Fruits and Vegetables grown in Courtyards, Roof-tops, adjoining Lands and on *Waqf* Lands, The Issues related to *Awqāf*, The Creation of New *Awqāf*, Issues related to Slaughtering, Applying Modern Methods of Treatment during Fast, Starting Point of Journey, Shariah Command Convening the Place of Employment, Rami Jamar, Staying at Mina, Which place will hold credibility during the days of offering sacrifice?

G. Miscellaneous Issues:

Relations between the Muslims and Non-Muslims, Islam and the World Peace, Declaration of Islamic Brotherhood and the Solidarity of Ummah, Intellectual Growth of Students of *Madāris*, Ecological Conservation, Tourism, Photography and Entertainment.

5.6 Some important scholars from abroad participated in Seminars:

Many reputed scholars from various countries participated in these seminars. Some of these are:

Egypt:

Dr. Jamaluddin Atiya, Dr. Ali Jumma, Dr. Mufti Ahmad Mamdooh Sood, Shaikh Abdullah Ajami Hasan.

KSA:

Dr. Anas Zarqa, Dr. Abdur Rahman Al Aqeel, Dr. Mohammad Habib Bin Al Khoja, Dr. Nooruddin Mukhtar Al Khadmi, Dr. Mohammad Bin Abdul Aziz Al Khuziri, Dr. Misfar Quahtani.

Kuwait:

Dr. Khalid Madhkoor Abdullah Al Madhkoor, Dr. Abdul Mohsin Mohammad Al Usman, Dr. Saood A Asfoor, Dr. Ahmad Mohammad Salim Bin Ghais, Khalid Mohammad Al Khulaifi, Badar Sulaiman Sanin, Dr. Rawas Qalaji, Dr. Mohd. Abdul Ghaffar Sharif, *Maulana* Badrul Hasan Qasmi.

Syria:

Dr. Wahba Zuhaili

Bahrain:

Dr. Salahuddin Sultan

Qatar:

Shaikh Abdur Rahman Bin Abdullah Al Mahmood, Abdullah Bin Umar Al Bikri, Ahmad Bin Mohammad Bin Ghanim Al-e- Sani, Mohammad Mahmood Abdullah Al Mahmood, Abdul Aziz Bin Sulaiman Bin Hasan Al Sayyad, Dr. Ali Mohiuddin Qurrah Daghi.

UAE (Sharjah):

Dr. Ismail Kazim Isavi

Aljeeria:

Mr. Abdurrazzaque Qosoom

Turkey:

Prof. Dr. Recep Senturk , Dr. Masuk yamac

Tunisia:

Dr. Nooruddin Khadmi

Yeman:

Dr. Abdul Majeed Suswa

USA:

Dr. Taha Jabir Al-Alwani, Qari Abdullah Saleem

Burnei Darussalam:

Dr. Umar Hasan Kasuley

Canada:

Maulana Saleem Mangera

South Africa:

MI. Shoib Josef, MI. Abbas Ali Jeena, Ahmad Satariya, *Maulana* Ali Adam Moosa, MI. Abdullah Kapodarvi, MI. Yunus Patel, MI. Mohd. Ayub Kachvi, MI. Zubair Bayat. Hazrat Mufti Ibrahim.

UK:

Maulana Yaqoob Ismail Munshi, *Maulana* Sameeruddin, *Mufti* Barkatullah.

Mauritania:

Shaikh Mohammad Hasan Wald Al Doodoo.

Republic of Mauritius:

Mr. Yunus Falahi, Mr. Abdur Rasheed Qazi

Iraq:

Dr. Mahroos Al Mudarris Dr. Marwan Al Mudarris.

Iran:

Mr. Abdul Hameed, Shaikh Abdul Qadir Arfi

Pakistan:

Mufti Mohammad Taqi Usmani and Maulana Mufti Rafi Usmani.

Bangladesh:

Mufti Abdur Rahman

Sri Lanka:

Mohd Burhan Bin Mohd Hasani

5.7. Some important Ulemas from India Participated in the Seminar:

Almost all the prominent *Ulema* of India have graced these *Fiqhi* seminars. Some of these are *Maulana* Syed Abul Hasan Ali Nadvi, *Maulana* Syed Minnatullah Rahmani, *Maulana* Abu Saud Baqvi, *Maulana* Abdul Jaleel Chaudhari, *Maulana* Mohd. Salim Qasmi, *Maulana* Syed Rabey Hasani Nadvi, *Maulana* Syed Nizamuddin, *Maulana* Mujeebullah Nadvi, *Maulana* Haneef Milli, *Maulana* Abdullah Mugheesi, Dr. Abdullah Abbas Nadvi, *Maulana* Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Mr. Mohd Nematullah Azami, Mr. Dr. Sayeedur Rahman Azmi Nadvi, Mr. Kaka Sayeed Ahmad Umari, Mufti Mahboob Ali Wajih.

5.8. Important Institutions, Universities and Madaris from India participated in Seminar:

Darul Uloom Deoband, Nadwatul Ulama Lucknow, Jamia Syed Ahmad Shaheed Katauli Lucknow, Muzahriul Uloom Deoband, Muzahirul Uloom Waqf Saharanpur, Darul Uloom Waqf Deoband, Jamiaul Uloom Rampur (UP), Jamia Islamia Jama Masjid Amroha (UP), Jamia Qasmia Shahi Muradabad, Jamia Salfia Varanasi, Jamia Mazharul Uloom Varanasi, Mazharul Uloom Kanpur, Jamia Riyazul Uloom Guraini Jaunpur (UP), Jamia Arabia Islamia

Banda (UP), Jamiatul Falah Azamgarh, Madrasatul Islah Saraimeer Azamgarh, Jamiatur Rashad Azamgarh, Darul Uloom Muhazzabpur Azamgarh, Jamia Ashrafia Mubarakpur Azamgarh, Jamia Ainul Islam Mubarakpur Azamgarh, Jamia Arabia Muzaffarpur Azamgarh, Darul Uloom Mau, Miftahul Uloom Mau, Shamsul Uloom Ghosi, Ahyaul Uloom Mubarakpur Azamgarh, Jamia Talimuddin Mau, Madrasa Baitul Uloom Saraimeer Azamgarh, Darul Uloom Hyderabad, Darul Uloom Sabeelussalam Hyderabad, Al Mahadul Aali Hyderabad, Jamia Nizamia Hyderabad, Imarat Shariah Andhra Pradesh, Darul Uloom Sabeelur Rashad Bangalore, Jamia Islamia Bhatkal, Imarat Sharia Karnataka, Jamia Baqiyatus Salehat Vellore, Jamia Darus Salam Umerabad Tamil Nadu, Jamiatur Rehan Madurai, Darul Uloom Imdadia Mumbai, Jamia Kashiful Uloom Aurangabad Maharashtra, Mahad Millat Maligaon Maharashtra, Jamia Islamia Akkal Kuwa MS, Jamia Husainia Sriwardhan MS, Jamia Islamia Shantapuram Kerala, Jamia Husainia Kerala, Jamia Kausaria Kerala, Darul Uloom Tajul Masjid Bhopal, Shaikh Ali Muttaqi Burhanpur M.P, Darul Uloom Banjari Indore M.P, Imarat Sharia Assam. Jamia Talimuddin Gujarat, Darul Uloom Matliwala Gujarat, Jamia Mazhar Saadat Gujarat, Jamia Falah Darain Gujarat, Jamia Uloomul Quran Jambusar Gujarat. Jamiatul Hidayah Jaipur Rajasthan, Madrasa Ameenia Delhi, Madrasa Rahimia Delhi, Jamia Malerkotla Punjab, Jamia Bandi Pura Kashmir, Jamia Imarat Shariah Bihar Odissa & Jharkhand, Ashraful Uloom Kanhawan, Jamia Islamia Shakarpur Bharwara, Darbhanga, Jamia Salfia Darbhanga, Madrasa Imdadia Darbhanga, Jamia Khanqah Rahmani Munger, Al Mahad ul AAli Phulwari Sharif Patna, Khanqah Mujibia Phulwari Sharif Patna, Jamia Ibne Taimia Champaran, Jamia Rabbani Munarwa Sharif Bihar, Jamiul Uloom Muzaffarpur, Jamia Islamia Balasath Sitamarhi Bihar, Madarsa Mahmoodul Uloom Damla Madhubani Bihar, Jamia Islamia Darul Uloom Khagaria Bihar. Darul Qaza Asansol West Bengal, Darul Qaza Cuttck, Darul Qaza Raulkela Odissa, Darul Qaza Delhi, Jamaat Islami Hind, Jamiat Ulema Hind, Jamiat Ahle Hadith, Mumbai University, Hamdard University, Delhi University, Jawahar Lal Nehru University, Jamia Millia Islamia Delhi, Aligarh Muslim University, Calicut University, Hyderabad University, Maulana Azad National Open University Hyderabad, Usmania University Hyderabad, Iflu University Hyderabad, Lucknow University, Patna University, Mumbai University.

5.9. Important Institutions and Universities from abroad participated in Seminar/Workshop:

ISESCO (Morocco), IIIT (USA), Centre of Research Excellance in the Fiqh of Contemporary Issues (Al-Imam Muhammad Ibn Saud Islamic University KSA), Shariah College of Islamic University Madina Munawwarah KSA, King Abdul Aziz University KSA, Shariah College

Damascus University Syria, Cairo University Egypt, Ministry of Auqaf Kuwait, Ministry Auqaf Qatar, Islamic Fiqh Academy Jeddah, Shariah Scholars Association of North America.



6. IFA SEMINARS AT A GLANCE

| SEM. NO. | DATE | PLACE | TOPICS |
|------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|---|
| 1 st | April 1-3, 1989 | New Delhi | Organ Transplantation, Birth Control, <i>Pagdi</i> (Rental Security) |
| 2 nd | Dec 8-11, 1989 | New Delhi | Currency, Bank Interest, Commercial Interest |
| 3 rd | June 8-11, 1990 | Bangalore (Karnataka) | Islamic Banking, <i>Murabahah</i> , Sale of Rights |
| 4 th | Aug 9-12, 1991 | Hyderabad (A.P) | Exchange of Currencies between two different countries, Insurance, Islamic Banking |
| 5 th | Oct 30 - Nov.2, 1992 | Azamgarh (U.P) | New Issues Concerning <i>Zakah</i> |
| 6 th | Dec 31, 1993- Jan 2, 1994 | Omarabad (Tamil Nadu) | <i>Ushr-o-Khiraj</i> System of Islam, Juristic Status of India as a country |
| 7 th | Dec 30, 1994 - Jan 2, 1995 | Bharuch, (Gujarat) | Slaughtering through Machines, <i>Rooyat -e- Hilal, Zarurat Wa Hajat</i> |
| 8 th | Oct 22-24, 1995 | Aligarh (Uttar Pradesh) | Medical Ethics, <i>Ishtira'at Fi Nikah, Urf wa Aadat</i> |
| 9 th | Oct 11-14, 1996 | Jaipur (Rajasthan) | Fish Pond Trade, Sale and Purchase before possession, Shares, <i>Sahr</i> Timing for Rajasthan |
| 10 th | Oct 24-27, 1997 | Mumbai (Maharashtra) | <i>Awqaf, Hajj-o-Umrah, Bai Bil Taqseet.</i> |
| 11 th | April 17-19, 1999 | Patna (Bihar) | <i>Wilayat, Kifa'at, Zaiif Ahadith</i> |
| 12 th | Feb 11-14, 2000 | Basti (Uttar Pradesh) | Internet and Media, <i>Talaq Sakran</i> , <i>Shariah</i> Position of Differences of opinion. |
| 13 th | April 13-16, 2001 | Katauli, Malihabad (Uttar Pradesh) | Transformation, Marriage by force, Investment of <i>Zakah</i> , Finalizing deals through internet |

| SEM. NO. | DATE | PLACE | TOPICS |
|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| 14 th | Jun 20-22, 2004 | Hyderabad (Andhra Pradesh) | Relations between the Muslims and Non-Muslims, Islam and the World Peace, The Issue of Using Gelatin, The Creation of New <i>Awqaf</i> |
| 15 th | March 11-13, 2006 | Mysore (Karnataka) | Genetic Science, Medical Issues, Bank Cards |
| 16 th | Ma 30- April 2, 2007 | Azamgarh (Uttar Pradesh) | Network Marketing, Euthanasia, Brain Death, Time period for stone pelting at <i>Jamarat</i> and Stay outside Mina within the limits of <i>Haram</i> |
| 17 th | 5-7 April, 2008 | Burhanpur (Madhya Pradesh) | Ecological Conservation, Sex Education, Applying modern methods of medical treatment during a fast, Starting point of a journey, Shariah command convening the place of employment. |
| 18 th | 28Feb-2Mar 2009 | Madurai (Tamil Nadu) | Rights of Prisoners, Educational Loans, Plastic Surgery, Women's Employment. |
| 19 th | 12-15 Feb 2010 | Jamia Mazhar Saadat, Gujarat | Divorce Through Court in non Muslim Countries, Children participation in their fathers business, Credibility of place during the days of affirming sacrifice, Taxable Value (Nisab) in Gold and Silver, Issue of Tawarruq, Shariah Status of the Existing Currency |
| 20 th | 5-7 March 2011 | Jamiul Uloom Furqania Rampur (UP) | Joint and Nuclear Families, Water Resources, Multidimensional Employments, Tourism, Photography, Drama, Cartoons, Humour, Sports and Games |

| SEM. NO. | DATE | PLACE | TOPICS |
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| 21th | 3-5 March 2012 | Jamia Islamia Banjari, Indore (MP) | Conflict between husband and wife, drugs, insurance |
| 22 nd | 9-11 March 2013 | Jamia Islamia Arbia , Amroha (UP) | Shariah Concept in Concerning Election Issues, Shariah Provisions of Bond in Economics & Commerce, Shariah Provisions of Bai –Wafa(Loan on Equitable) |
| 23rd | 1-3 March 2014 | Jamia Uloomul Qua'an, Jambusar (Gujrat) | Citizenship and its issues, Issues related with Contract, Issues related with heritage and will, Issues related with Hiba. |

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7. Brief Report of Seminars:

1st Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 01-04-1989 - 03-04-1989

Venue: Hamdard Convention Centre, Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi.

Topics: Organ Transplantation, Birth Control, Rental Security.

Number of Participants: 300

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Taha Jabir Al Alwani (USA), Ml. Syed Abul Hasan Ali Nadvi, Ml. Minnatullah Rahmani, Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Ml. Syed Jalaluddin Umri, Ml. Syed Nizamuddin, Mufti. Sayeed Ahmad Palanpuri, Mufti Habibur Rahman Khairabadi, Ml. Tayyibur Rahman, Ml. Hanif Milli, Mufti Azizur Rahman Bijnori, Ml. Fazlur Rahman Ginnori, Mufti Zafeeruddin Miftahi.

Number of papers presented: 58

Organ Transplantation (18), Birth Control (19), Rental Security (21).

2nd Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 08-12-1990 - 11-12-1990

Venue: Hamdard Convention Centre, Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi.

Topics: Currency, Bank Interest.

Number of Participants: 275

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Jamaluddin Atiya (Egypt), Mufti. Mohammad Rafi Usmani (Pakistan), Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Mufti. Khalil Ahmad, Mufti Sayeed Ahmad Palanpuri, Mufti Habibur Rahman Khairabadi, Ml. Shams Peerzada, Ml. Ziyauddin Islahi, Dr. Fazlur Rahman Ginnori, Dr. Muqtada Hasan Azhari, Mufti Mohd. Zafeeruddin Miftahi, Dr. F. R. Faridi, Qazi Abdul Ahad Azhari, Ml. Hanif Milli, Ml. Maazul Islam, Mufti Abdur Rahman, Mufti Masroor Ahmad, Ml. Habib Rehan Khan Azhari, Dr. Abdul Haseeb, Dr. K. G. Munshi, Dr. Nejatullah Siddiqi, Dr. Mohd. Manzoor Alam.

Number of Papers presented: 43

Currency (16), Bank Interest (27).

Books inaugurated:

Organ Transplantation
Birth Control
Rental Security

3rd Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 08-06-1990 - 11-06-1990

Venue: Darul Uloom Sabilur Rashad, Bangalore, Karnataka

Topics: Islamic Banking, *Murabaha*, Sale of Rights.

Number of Participants: 300

Eminent Participants:

Mr. Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Dr. Mahroos Al Mudarris (Iraq), Mr. Syed Abul Hasan Ali Nadvi, Mufti Rafi Usmani, Mr. Sirajul Hasan, Dr. Mumtaz Khan, Mr. K. Rahman Khan, Dr. F. R. Faridi, Dr. M. H. Khatkhatey, Mr. Asrar Alam, Dr. Mohd. Manzoor Alam, Mufti Ashraf Ali Baqvi, Mufti Ahmad Bemat, Dr. Abdul Azeem Islahi, Mr. Abu Saud Baqvi, Mufti Azizur Rahman Bijnori, Mr. Tayyeb ur Rahman.

Number of papers presented: 84

Sale of rights (26), *Murabaha* (15), Islamic Banking (43).

Books inaugurated:

Currency, Bank Interest

4th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 09-08-1991 - 12-08-1991

Venue: Darul Uloom Sabilussalam, Hyderabad (A.P)

Topics: Exchange of Currencies between Two Different Countries, Insurance, Islamic Banking.

Number of Participants: 250

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Anas Zarqa (KSA), Mr. Mohd. Taqi Usmani (Pakistan), Dr. Ali Juma Mohd (Egypt), Sheikh Abdur Rahman Bin Abdullah Aquil (KSA), Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Mufti Nizamuddin Rizvi, Mr. Mohd. Rizwan Qasmi, Mr. Sayeed Ahmad Palanpuri, Dr. M. H. Khatkhatey, Dr. Abdul Haseeb, Mufti Azizur Rahman Bijnori, Mr. Tayyebur Rahman, Dr. Saud Alam Qasmi.

Number of papers presented: 130.

Exchange of Currencies (62), Insurance (68).

Books inaugurated:

Islamic Banking, *Murabaha*, Sale of Rights

5th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 30-10-1992 - 02-11-1992

Venue: Jamiatur Rashad, Azamgarh (U.P)

Topics: New Issues Concerning Zakat.

Number of Participants: 250

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Ali Juma Mohammad (Egypt), Dr. Mahroos Al Mudarris (Iraq), Shiekh Badrul Hasan Qasmi (Kuwait), Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Ml. Shams Peerzada, Mufti Masroor Ahmad, Ml. Mujeebullah Nadvi, Ml. Kaka Sayeed Umri, Ml. Tayyebur Rahman, Mufti Azizur Rahman Bijnori, Ml. Zubair Ahmad Qasmi, Ml. Khalilur Rahman Sajjad Nadvi, Mufti Abdul Quddus Roomi, Ml Mujeebullah Nadvi.

Number of papers presented: 80

Masraf-e-Zakat (25), Current issues of Zakat (55)

Books inaugurated:

Exchange of currencies, Insurance, Islamic Banking

6th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 31-12-1993 - 03-01-1994

Venue: Jamia Darussalam, Umerabad, Tamil Nadu.

Topics: *Ushr Wa Khiraj* system of Islam, Juristic Status of India as a country.

Number of Participants: 300

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Mohammad Habib Bin Al Khuja (KSA), Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, MI. Kaka Sayeed Umri, Dr. Abdullah Jolam Umri, MI. Mujeebullah Nadvi, MI. Jalaluddin Umri, MI. Ahmad Khanpuri, Dr. M. H. Khatkhatey, Mufti Habibur Rahman Khairabadi, Mufti Azizur Rahman Bijnori, MI. Qasim Muzaffar Puri, MI. Mohd. Burhanuddin Sambhali, Mr. Mr. Ehsanul Haq, Mr. A. H. Chand, Dr. M. Alam, Mr. Muqemuddin, Mr. Kamal Farooqi.

Number of papers presented: 70

Ushr wa Khiraj (57), Company and Shares (13).

Book inaugurated:

Zakat – Current Issues

7th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 30-12-1994 - 02-01-1995

Venue: Darul Uloom Matli Wala, Bharuch, Gujarat.

Number of Participants: 250

Topics: Slaughtering Through Machines, *Rooyat-e-Hilal*, *Zarurat Wa Hajat*.

Eminent Participants:

Sheikh Yaqoob Ismail Munshi (UK), MI. Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Mufti Ahmad Dewla, Mufti Ahmad Khanpuri, Dr. Tariq Muneer (UK), Mohd. Iqbal Bakhsh (South Africa), MI. Dr. Saud Alam Qasmi, MI. Baqar Husain Bastavi, MI. Abdul Hannan Qasmi, MI. Abul Hasan Ali Qasmi, Mufti Abdullah Muzahari, MI. Habib Rehan Khan Azhari, MI. Syed Murtaza Muzahari, MI. Asrar Alam, Mufti Shabeer Moradabadi, Mufti Ahmad Dewla.

Number of Papers Presented: 128

Zarurat wa Hajat (28), Slaughtering through machines (62), *Rooyat Hilal* (38)

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Zarurat Wa Hajat: Ml. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani, Mufti Ismail Bhadkodarvi, Ml. Zubair Ahmad Qasmi, Ml. Moinuddin Qasmi, Ml. Akhtar Imam, Mufti Mohd. Obaidullah Asadi.

Books Inaugurated: *Ushr -o- Khiraj*, Juristic Status of India & Pakistan.

8th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 22-10-1995 - 24-10-1995

Venue: Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh (U.P)

Topics: Medical Ethics, *Ishtirat Fi Al Nikah*, *Urf wa Adat*.

Number of Participants: 250

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Wahba Mustafa Zuhaili (Syria), Ml. Mohd. Salim Qasmi, Ml. Yaqoob Ismail Munshi (UK), Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Dr. Saud Alam Qasmi, Dr. F. R. Faridi, Ml. Shams Peerzada, Ml. Mohd. Burhanuddin Sambhali, Dr. Jamal Siddiqui, Prof. Mohd. Ajmal, Mr. S. Ameenul Hasan Rizvi, Mufti Azizur Rahman Bijnori, Ml. Baqar Hussain Bastavi, Dr. Khalique Nizami, Ml. Mohd. Rizwan Qasmi, Dr. Marghoob Ashraf, Dr. Amanullah Khan, Dr. Yusuf Ameen.

Number of Papers Presented: 171

Ishtirat fi Al Nikah (45), Medical Ethics (51), Ahkam Shariah and Urf wa Adat (75)

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Medical Ethics:

Mufti. Junaid Alam Nadvi, Mufti Jameel Ahmad Naziri, Ml. Sadrul Hasan Nadvi, Mufti Habibullah Qasmi, Ml. Mohd. Zaid Mozahiri, Ml. Al Mustafa Misbahi, Ml. Anees ur Rahman Qasmi

Book Inaugurated: *Zarurat Wa Hajat.*

9th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 11-10-1996 - 14-10-1996

Venue: Jamiatul Hidayah, Jaipur, Rajasthan.

Topics: Fish Pond Trade, Sale and Purchase before Possession, Shares, Sahr Timing for Rajasthan.

Number of Participants: 200

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Wahba Mustafa Zuhaili (Syria), Sheikh Yaqoob Ismail Munshi (UK), Mr. Abdul Hai Patel (Canada), Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Ml. Fazlur Rahman Mujaddidi, Ml. Kaka Sayeed Umri, Mufti Fuzailur Rahman Hilal Usmani, Dr. Abdul Azeem Islahi, Mr. M. H. Khatkhatey, Mr. Mohd. Ihsanul Haq, Ml. Fazlur Raheem Mujaddidi, Ml. Ziyaur Raheem Mujaddidi.

Number of Papers Presented: 173

Sale & Purchase before Possession (57), Fish Pond Trade (63), Auqat –e- Sahar in Rajasthan (53).

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Fish Pond Trade: Mufti Anwar Ali Azmi
Shares: Ml. Abdul Qayyum Palanpuri
Ml. Qazi Abdul Jalil Qasmi
Ml. Akhtar Imam Adil
Ml. Ateeq Ahmad Bastawi

Books Inaugurated: Medical Ethics, *Ishtirat Fi al Nikah.*

10th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 24-10-1997 - 27-10-1997

Venue: Hajj House, Mumbai (Maharashtra)

Topics: *Awqaf, Hajj-o-Umrah, Bai Bil Taqseet, Cloning.*

Number of Participants: 250

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Khalid Mazkoor, Abdul Mohsin Mohammad Usman, Badrul Hasan Qasmi, Dr. Khalid Abdullah Mohd. Shoeb, Sheikh Khalid Mohd. Khulaifi, Sheikh Badar Sulaiman Sinin (Kuwait), Dr. Wahba Mustafa Zuhaili (Syria), Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Ml. Yaqoob Ismail Munshi (UK), Dr. Abdul Azeem Islahi, Ml. Kaka Sayeed Umri, Mufti Ahmad Bimat, Mr. Ameenul Hasan Rizvi, Dr. Aslam Parwez, Haroon Bhai Mozawala, Abdul Sattar Yusuf Sheikh, Mr. Abdul Wahid.

Number of Papers Presented: 126

Awqaf (27), Hajj-o-Umrah (49), Bai bil Taqsit (50), Clonning.

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Awqaf: Ml. Ateeq Ahmad Bastavi
Ml. Zafar Alam Nadvi
Mufti Fuzailur Rahman Hilal Usmani

Hajj-o-Umrah: Ml. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani

Book Inaugurated: Current Trade Practices.

11th Fiqhi Seminar**Date:** 17-04-1999 - 19-04-1999**Venue:** Imarat Shariah, Phulwari Sharif, Patna, Bihar.**Topics:** *Wilayat -e- Nikah, Kifayat -e- Nikah, Zaeef Ahadith.***Number of Participants:** 300**Eminent Participants:**

Dr. Wahba Mustafa Zuhaili (Syria), Sheikh Yaqoob Ismail Munshi (UK), Ml. Taqi Usmani (Pakistan), Mr. Zafar Masood (Jeddah), Ml. Badrul Hasan Qasmi (Kuwait), Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Ml. Mujeebullah Nadvi, Ml. Syed Nizamuddin, Prof. A. R. Momin, Mufti Ashraf Ali Baqvi, Ml. Salman Husaini Nadvi.

Number of Papers Presented: 84*Wilayat -e- Nikah* (53), *Kifat* (13), *Hadith Zaeef* (18)**Presentators:** (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Wilayat -e- Nikah: Ml. Mohd. Burhanuddin Sambhali
Ml. Badar Ahmad Mujeebi Nadvi
Ml. Dr. Qari Zafrul Islam Azmi Qasmi
Ml. Akhtar Imam Adil Qasmi

Kifayat Nikah: Ml. Qazi Abdul Jaleel Qasmi
Ml. Ateeq Ahmad Bastavi
Mufti Jameel Ahmad Naziri
Mufti Habibullah Qasmi
Ml. Zafar Alam Nadvi

Books Inaugurated: 1. *Awqaf*. 2. *Hajj -o- Umrah*. 3. *Clonin*

12th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 11-02-2000 - 14-02-2000

Venue: Darul Uloom Islamia, Basti (U.P)

Topics: Internet and Media, *Talaq Sakran*, Shariah Position of Differences of Opinion.

Number of Participants: 250

Eminent Participants:

Sheikh Mohd. Hasan Dudu (Morocco) , Sheikh Abdullah Abbas Nadvi, Ml. Syed Mohd Rabey Hasani Nadvi, Sheikh Yaqoob Ismail Munshi (UK), Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Ml. Mohd. Rizwan Qasmi, Ml. Nematullah Azmi, Dr. Abdul Azeem Islahi, Ml. Salman Hussaini Nadvi, Mr. Sulaiman Sikandar, Ml. Baqar Hussain, Ml. Nematullah Azmi. Dr. Tariq

Number of Papers Presented: 173

Internet & Media (70), *Talaq Sakran* (64), Shariah Position of Differences of Opinion (39)

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Internet & Media: Mufti Mohd. Obaidullah Asadi
Ml. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani

Books Inaugurated: 1. *Wilayat-e-Nikah* 2. *Bai Bi -al- Taqseet*.

13th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 12-04-2001 - 16-04-2001

Venue: Jamia Syed Ahmad Shaheed, Katauli, Malihabad, Lucknow (U.P)

Topics: Transformation, Marriage by Force, Investment of *Zakat*, Deals through Internet.

Number of Participants: 200

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Ruwas Qilaji (Kuwait), Dr. Mahroos Al Mudarris (Iraq), Sheikh Nurooddin Al Khadmi (Tunisia), Sheikh Mohammad Al Khuzairi (KSA), Sheikh Abdur Rahman Al-e-Mahmood (Qatar), Ml. Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi, Sheikh Mohammad Ali Taqi (Doha), Ml. Salman Husaini Nadvi, Ml. Syed Mohd. Rabey Hasani Nadvi, Dr. Abu Bakar Rafique Ahmad, Dr. A. S. M. Tariqul Islam, Mufti Rahimuddin (Bangladesh).

Number of Papers Presented: 205

Transformation (36), Investment of Zakat (70), Marriage By Force (46), Deals through Internet (53).

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

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| Transformation: | Ml. Faheem Akhtar Nadvi |
| Investment of <i>Zakat</i> : | Ml. Ateeq Ahmad Bastavi |
| Deals through Internet: | Ml. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani |
| Marriage by Force: | Mufti Mohd Obaidullah Asadi |

Book Inaugurated: Shares.

14th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 20-06-2004 - 22-06-2004

Topics: Relations between the Muslims and Non Muslims, Islam and the World Peace, The Issue of using Gelatin, The creation of New *Awqaf*.

Venue: Darul Uloom Sabilussalam, Hyderabad (AP)

Number of Participants: 250

Eminent Participants:

Sheikh Khalid Mazkoor (Kuwait), Dr. Abdullah Musfir Qahtani (KSA), Sheikh Mohd. Abdul Ghaffar Sharif (Kuwait), Shiekh Mohd. Abdul Aziz Al Masud (Kuwait), Ml. Syed Rabey

Hasani Nadvi, MI. Badrul Hasan Qasmi (Kuwait), MI. Mohd. Rizwan Qasmi, MI. Jalaluddin Umri, MI. Abdul Qadir Arfi (Iran), MI. Mustafa Miftahi, Dr. Mohd. Manzoor Alam.

Number of Papers Presented: 143

Islam and World Peace (71), Relations between Muslims & Non Muslims (54), Creation of New *Awqaf* (18).

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Relations between Muslims & Non Muslim:

Mufti Jameel Ahmad Naziri, Mufti Anwar Ali Azmi, MI. Dr. Asrarul Haq Sabili, MI. Dr. Qari Zafarul Islam Qasmi, MI. Abul Aas Wahidi

Books Inaugurated: Internet & Media, *Fatawa Qazi*, *Maqasid -e- Shariat*, *Maqasid -e- Shariat* in Modern World, Resolutions of Indian Ulema, Decisions of Indian Ulema on Social Issues, Marriage by force.

15th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 11-03-2006 - 13-03-2006

Topics: Genetic Science, Medical Insurance, Bank Cards.

Venue: Darul Uloom Siddiqia, Mysore, (Karnataka).

Number of Participants: 200

Eminent Participants:

Sheikh Abdul Majeed Mohammad Susuwa (U.A.E), MI. Syed Rabey Hasani Nadvi, MI. Syed Wazeh Rasheed Nadvi, MI. Mohd Salim Qasmi, Mufti Ashraf Ali Baqvi, MI. Qazi Abdul Ahad Azhari, Dr. Abdullah Jolam Umri, MI. Qasim Muzaffarpuri, Mufti Abdullah Muzahiri, MI. Abdul Hannan Qasmi.

Number of Papers Presented: 101

Genetic Science (30), Medical Insurance (31), Bank Cards (40).

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Genetic Science: Ml. Qari Zafrul Islam
 Ml. Sanaul Huda Qasmi
 Ml. Akhtar Imam Adil Qasmi
Medical Insurance: Mufti Abdur Raheem
Bank Cards: Ml. Khurshid Ahmad Azmi

Books Inaugurated:

Relations between Muslims & Non Muslims.
Islam & the World Peace.
Mukhtarat –al- Nawazil.
Islam & Other Civilization.
Islamic Fiqh in Modern World.

16th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 30-03-2007 - 02-04-2007

Topics: Network Marketing, Euthanasia, Brain Death, Time Period for stone pelting at *Jamarat* and stay outside *Mina* within the limits of *Haram*.

Venue: Darul Uloom Muhazzab Pur, Azamgarh (U.P)

Number of Participants: 150

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Umar Hasan Kasule (Brunei), Ml. Qazi Abdul Ahad Azhari, Ml. Abdul Qadir Arfi (Iran), Mufti Habibullah Qasmi, Mr. Ehsanul Haq. Ml. Mohd. Burhanuddin Sambhali, Mufti Shoeb.

Number of Papers Presented: 170

Network Marketing (47), Brain Death (40), Euthanasia (50), *Rami-e-Jimar* (33).

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Network Marketing: Qazi Abdul Jaleel Qasmi

Brain Death: Ml. Dr. Qari Zafarul Islam Qasmi Azmi
Euthanasia: Mufti Jameel Ahmad Naziri
Rami Jamar: Ml. Rashid Hussain Nadvi
Stay Outside Mina: Ml. Abu Sufiyan Miftahi

Books Inaugurated: Genetic Science, Medical Insurance, Bank cards, Establishing New *Awqaf*, *Jadeed Fiqhi Tahqiqat* (5 volumes).

17th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 05-04-2008 - 07-04-2008

Topics: Ecological Conservation, Sex Education, Applying Modern Methods of Medical Treatment during a fast, Starting Point of a Journey, Shariah Command convening the place of Employment.

Venue: Darul Uloom Sheikh Ali Muttaqi, Burhanpur (MP).

Number of Participants: 177

Eminent Participants:

Ml. Mohd. Salim Qasmi, Ml. Mohd. Nematullah Azmi, Ml. Syed Nizamuddin, Mufti Sher Ali Gujarati, Abdullah Bin Umar Al Bikri (Qatar), Ahmad Bin Mohammad Al -e- Sani (Qatar). Ml. Abdul Haleem, Ml. Abdul Qadir Arfi (Iran), Ml. Syed Nizamuddin, Mufti Ashraf Ali Baqvi.

Number of Papers Presented: 293

Muftirat -e-Saum (84) *Masafat -e-Safar* (69) *Qasro Itmam* (70), *Watan-e-Asli* (70)

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Muftirat -e- Saum: Ml. Khurshid Anwar Azmi
Watan -e- Asli: Ml. Khurshid Ahmad Azmi
Masafat -e- Safar: Mufti Habibullah Qasmi
Qasr wa Itmam: Mufti Nazir Ahmad Kashmiri

Books Inaugurated:

Time period for stone pelting at *Jamarat* & Stay out side *Mina* within the limits of *Haram*.

Network Marketing, Euthanasia and Brain Death.

18th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 28-02-09 - 02-03-09

Topics: Rights of Prisoners, Educational Loans, Plastic Surgery, Women's Employment.

Venue: Jamiatur Raihan Arabic College, Madurai (Tamil Nadu)

Number of Participants: 142

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Salahuddin Sultan (Bahrain), Dr. Ismail Kazim Isawi (Iraq), Sheikh Mohd. Abdullah Al Mahmood (Qatar), Sheikh Abdul Aziz Bin Sulaiman (Qatar), Ml. Mohd. Salim Qasmi, Ml. Syed Nizamuddin, Ml. Jalaluddin Umri, Mohd. Burhanuddin Mohammad (Sri Lanka), Ml. Saud Alam Qasmi, Mufti Sadiq Mohiuddin, Ml. Kaka Sayeed Umri, Dr. Bagh Siraj, Dr. Tariq Sajjad, Mr. Abdur Rahim Quraishi.

Number of Papers presented: 252

Plastic Surgery (64), Rights of Prisoners (67), Educational Loans (68), Women's Employment (53).

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

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| Rights of Prisoners: | Ml. Dr. Asrarul Haq Sabili Ml. Faheem Akhtar Nadvi |
| Educational Loans: | Mufti Jameel Ahmad Naziri |
| Plastic Surgery: | Ml. Rashid Husain Nadvi |
| Women's Employment: | Ml. Badar Ahmad Mojibi Nadvi Mufti Anwar Ali Azmi |

Books inaugurated: *Muftirat -e-Saum, Watan -e- Asli, Msafat -e- Safar, Jadeed Fiqhi Tahqiqat* (5 volumes)

19th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 12-02-2010 - 15-02-2010

Topics: Divorce Through Court in non Muslim Countries, Children participation in their fathers business, Credibility of place during the days of affirming sacrifice, Taxable Value (Nisab) in Gold and Silver, Issue of Tawarruq, Shariah Status of the Existing Currency

Venue: Jamia Mazhar Saadat, Hansot, Bharuch Gujarat

Number of Participants: 350

Eminent Participants:

Dr. Ali Mohiuddin Qurrah Daghi (Qatar), Dr. Ahmad Mamdooh (Egypt), Ml. Abbas Ali Jeena (South Africa), Ml. Abdullah Kapodarvi (South Africa), Qari Abdullah Saleem (USA), Ml. Yaqoob Ismail Munshi (UK), Ml Shoib Josef (South Africa), Ml. Mohd. Salim Qasmi (Deoband), Ml. Nematullah Azami (Deoband), Mufti Ahmad Khanpuri (Gujarat), Ml. Kaka Sayeed Ahmad Umri (Tamil Nadu), Mufti Ashraf Ali Baqwi (Bangalore), Ml. Mohd. Burhanuddin Sambhali (Lucknow), Ml. Dr. Sayeedur Rahman Azmi Nadvi (Lucknow), Ml. Ghulam Mohd. Wastanvi (Maharashtra), Ml. Mohd. Qasim Muzaffarpuri (Bihar).

Number of Papers presented: 313

Divorce through Court in non Muslim Countries (48), Children participation in their fathers business (31), Credibility of place during the days of affirming sacrifice (46), Taxable Value (Nisab) in Gold and Silver (82), Issue of Tawarruq (64), Shariah Status of the Existing Currency (42).

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Divorce through Court in non Muslim Countries

Ml. Khursheed Ahmad Azmi

Children participation in their fathers business

Ml. Khursheed Anwar Azmi

Credibility of place during the days of affirming sacrifice

Ml. Mohd. Huzaifa Loonawara

Taxable Value (Nisab) in Gold and Silver

MI. Dr. Zafarul Islam Azmi

Issue of Tawarruq

MI. Qazi Abdul Jaleel Qasmi

Shariah Status of the Existing Currency

MI. Rashid Hussain Nadvi

Books inaugurated:

Educational Loan

Women's Employment

Rights of Prisoners

20th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 5-03-2011 - 7-03-2011

Topics: Joint and Nuclear Families, Water Resources, Multidimensional Employments, Tourism, Photography, Drama, Cartoons, Humour, Sports and Games.

Venue: Jamiaul Uloom Furqania, Rampur (U.P)

Number of Participants: 350

Eminent Participants:

MI. Nematullah Azami (Deoband), MI. Mohd. Burhanuddin Sambhali (Lucknow), MI. Kaka Sayeed Ahmad Umri (Tamil Nadu), MI. Zubair Ahmad Qasmi (Bihar), MI. Mohd. Qasim Muzaffarpuri (Bihar), Mufti Sher Ali (Gujarat), MI. Abdullah Kavi (Gujarat), MI. Qamruddin (Gujarat), Dr. Mohd. Manzoor Alam (New Delhi), Mufti Abdullah Phoolpuri (Azamgarh), MI. Abdullah Mughaisi (Meerut), MI. Yusuf Ali (Assam), Qari Abdullah Saleem (USA), MI. Yaqoob Ismail Munshi (UK), MI Shoib Josef (South Africa), MI. Abdul Aziz Bhatkali (Lucknow), MI. Qazi Abdul Jaleel Qasmi, MI. Yusuf Islahi (Rampur), Mufti Mahboob Ali Wajih (Rampur), MI. Dr. Sadiq Mohiuddin (Hyderabad).

Number of Papers presented: 112

Joint and Nuclear Families (30), Water Resources (29), Multidimensional Employments (25), Tourism, Photography, Drama, Cartoons, Humour, Sports and Games (28).

Presentators: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis):

Joint and Nuclear Families,
Ml. Waliullah Majeed Qasmi

Water Resources,
Maulana Rashid Hussain Nadvi, Mufti Zaheer Ahmad Kanpuri, Maulana Khursheed Anwar Azmi

Multidimensional Employments,
Ml. Iqbal Ahmad Tankarwi, Ml. Sanaul Huda Qasmi, Ml. Khursheed Ahmad Azmi,

Tourism, Photography, Drama, Cartoons, Humour, Sports and Games.
Dr. Zafarul Islam Azmi, Mufti Ashraf Abbas Qasmi, Ml. Shahjahan Nadvi, Ml. Iqbal Ahmad Kanpuri

Books inaugurated:
Ikhtilaaf Aimma Ki Shari Haisiyat
Insaani Huqooq Aur Islami Nuqta Nazar
Ghair Muslim Mamalik Main Adalton Ki Talaq
Karoobar Main Aulaad Ki Shirkat
Taweel Mudati Qarze Aur Maujooda Currency
Nikah Main Sharten Lagana (Hindi)
Jabri Shaadi (Hindi)

21th Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 3-03-2012 - 5-03-2012

Topics: Intoxicating Materials, Annulment of Marriage due to separation between the couple and Methods of Insurance in the eye of Shariah.

Venue: Jamia Islamia Banjari, Mhow, Indore (MP)

Number of Participants: 350

Number of papers presented: 151

Intoxicating Materials (72), Annulment of marriage due to separation between the couple (38) and Methods of Insurance in the eye of Shariah (28)

Presenters: (Eminent scholars who analyze all the papers and then present the summary of their analysis)

Intoxicating Materials:

Maulana Iqbal Mohd. Tankarvi

Annulment of marriage due to separation between the couple:

Qari Zafrul Islam Azmi

Methods of Insurance in the eye of Shariah

Maulana Akhtar Imam Adil

22nd Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 09-03-2013 - 11-03-2013

Topics: 1. Shariah Concept in Concerning Election Issues.
2. Shariah Provisions of Bond in Economics & Commerce
3. Shariah Provisions of Bai – Wafa (Loan on Equitable)

Venue: Jamia Islamia Arabia , Jama Masjid , Amroha , U.P.

Number of Participants: 350

Eminent Participants:

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| Mr.Abdurrazzaque Qosoom | Aljariya |
| Hazrat Mufti Ibrahim | South Afrika |
| Hazrat Maulana Naimatullah Azmi | Deoband (India) |
| Hazrat Maulana Nizamuddin | Patna, India |
| Mufti Ashraf Ali Baqwi | Bangalore, India |
| Mufti Zubair Ahmadulbayat | South Africa |
| Prof.Dr. Recep Senturk | TURKEY |
| Dr. Masuk yamac | TURKEY |

The IFA has been using this important method of interaction for thrashing out issues among the *Ulema* and *Fuqaha*. This scholarly forum is being used for discussions on *Maqasid Al Shariah* as well as for other issues of concern.

Academy has conducted 26 workshops so far on different topics like Maqasid -e- Shariat, Fiqhul Aqalliyat, Teaching of Arabic Language and Teaching of Islamic Economics in Madaris etc. Here we are presenting some details of these workshops in brief:

Besides these we have distributed CDs on Arabic Language promotion and Quran with Tafseer provided by ISESCO.

23^{re} Fiqhi Seminar

Date: 1-3 March 2014

Topics: 1. Ciizenship and its issues
2. Issues related with contract
3. Issues related with heritage and will
4. Issues related with Hiba

Venue: Jamia Uloomul Quran, Jambusar, Gujrat

Number of Participants: 350

8. Workshops Educational Training Camp at a Glance

Training Camps at a Glance

| Fiqhi Workshop | Venue | Date | Topic |
|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|--|
| 1 st | Ghaziabad | 1-3 Sep. 1992 | Training Camp on Different Issues of Islamic Jurisprudence |
| 2 nd | Basti | June 1993 | Training Camp on Different Issues of Islamic Jurisprudence |
| 3 rd | Ghaziabad | 22-25 Sep. 1993 | Training Camp on Different Issues of Islamic Jurisprudence |

Brief Report of Educational Training Camp

1st Educational Training Camp

Topic : Training Camp on Humanities
 Date : 1-3 September 1992.
 Venue : Pisonda, Ghaziabad (U.P)

2nd Educational Training Camp

Topic : Training Camp of Humanities
 Date : June 1993.
 Venue : Basti, (U.P)

3rd Educational Training Camp

Topic : Training Camp of Humanities
 Date : 22-25 September 1993.
 Venue : Pisonda, Ghaziabad (U.P)

Fiqhi and Training Workshops at a Glance

| Fiqhi Workshop | Venue | Date | Topic |
|-----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|--|
| 1 th | New Delhi | 21-25 Dec 2003 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 2 nd | New Delhi | 19-24 Nov 2005 | How to teach Arabic language |
| 3 rd | New Delhi | 1-4 Dec 2005 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 4 th | New Delhi | 8-12 Dec 2006 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 5 th | Hyderabad | 3-4 Feb 2007 | Modern Medical Issues |
| 6 th | Lucknow | 15-16 May 2007 | Modern Medical Issues |
| 7 th | Calicut | 27-30 June 2007 | Jurisprudence Concerning Minorities |
| 8 th | Patna | 7-8 July 2007 | Modern Medical Issues |
| 9 th | Patna | 22-24 July 2007 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 10 th | Azamgarh | 25-27 July 2007 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 11 th | Umerabad | 29 July 2007 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 12 th | Kerala | 30-31 July 2007 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 13 th | Hyderabad | 1 st Aug 2007 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 14 th | New Delhi | 19-23 May 2008 | How to teach Arabic language |
| 15 th | Deoband | 23-26 June 2008 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 16 th | Lucknow | 28-30 June 2008 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 17 th | Hyderabad | 5-8 Nov. 2009 | Principals of Islamic Jurisprudence |
| 18 st | New Delhi | 18 February 2010 | Islamic Economic and its literal and practical application |
| 19 th | Azamgarh | 19-20 July 2011 | Ideological development |

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| 20 th | Lucknow | 21-22 July 2011 | Ideological development |
| 21 th | Deoband | 23 July 2011 | Ideological development |
| 22 nd | New Delhi | 17 Oct. 2012 | Unity of Islamic school of Fiqh |
| 23 rd | New Delhi | 31 Aug. – 4 Sep. 2013 | Research Methodology to Understand the Modern Issues in the Light of Islamic Jurisprudence |
| 24 th | Hyderabad | 25-28 January 2014 | Method of Teaching of Quran and Condition of its Institutions |



Brief Report of Workshops

1st Workshop on *Maqasid al Shariah*

Topic : Maqasid Al Shariah
 Date : 21-25 December 2003.
 Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi

This workshop on Maqasid -e- Shariah was attended by a good number of Islamic scholars from all over the world. Some of the eminent Indian scholars who participated in the workshop include Maulana Syed Rabey Hasani Nadvi, Maulana Sayed Wazeh Rasheed Nadvi, Maulana Sayed Ijteba Nadvi and Maulana Khalid Saifullah Rahmani. They delivered valuable lectures on different topics. The recorded lectures of Dr. Taha Jabir Alwani (U.S.A) and Dr. Jamaluddin Atiya were also presented. Dr. Salahuddin Sultan Director of American Islamic University Chicago also attended the workshop and delivered his key lectures on different aspects of Maqasid -e- Shariah. These valuable lectures covered following important aspects and topics related to Maqasid:

- 1-Theory of Maqasid -e- Shariah, it's kinds and validity.

- 2- History of Maqasid -e- Shariah.
- 3- Shatibi's theory of Maqasid -e- Shariah.
- 4- Basic sources of Maqasid -e- Shariah.
- 5- Maqasid -e- Shariah in the modern era.
- 6- Guidelines for Minority Fiqh & Role of Maqasid.

It is worth mentioning that Academy distributed important Arabic books on Maqasid -e- Shariah in this programme. Academy also has published the selected papers presented in this workshop in the book entitled Maqasid -e- Shariah.

2nd Workshop on Teaching Arabic as a second Language

Topic : Method of teaching Arabic as a second language
Date : 19-24 November 2005.
Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi.

Keeping in the view the need of Arabic teachers of Islamic Madrasas workshop on "Method of teaching Arabic as a second language" was organized by IFA on the request of Islamic Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization (ISESCO) in collaboration with the organization "ARABIC FOR ALL". The majority of participants were faculty members of various Indian universities and Madrasas.

Besides many Ulema, Dr. Shudaid Al Bishri from K.S.A, Trainer from "Arabic for All" also delivered his lectures as a resource person. The department of Arabic, Jamia Millia Islamia University also provided cooperation in making the programme successful.

The following aspects were taken into account during this workshop:

- 1- Ways of teaching Arabic Grammar.
- 2- Strategies of teaching Arabic as a second language.
- 3- Linguistic errors.
- 4- Use of modern educational aids in the teaching of Arabic language.
- 5- Pedagogical unification between school and family.
- 6- Teacher and class management.
- 7- Application of reduced lessons.

3rd Workshop on Maqasid -e- Shariah

Topic : Maqasid -e- Shariah
Date : 1- 4 December, 2005
Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi.

Islamic Fiqh Academy organized second workshop on Maqasid -e- Shariah in collaboration with the Islamic educational scientific and cultural organization (ISESCO). Many reputed scholars from India and outside of the country participated in the workshop and delivered their lectures. Dr. Salah Sultan was the key resource person of the workshop. He delivered his valuable lectures on the following topics:

- 1- Ijtihad -e- Maqasidi, it's importance and methodology.
- 2- Challenges before Muslim minorities and their solution by means of Maqasid -e- Shariah.
- 3- Understanding of Maqasid and its application in the current issues.

A great number of young scholars from Madrasas and universities participated in the workshop. Some important books on Maqasid -e- Shariah were distributed among the participants.

4th Workshop on Maqasid -e- Shariah

Topic : Ijtihad -e- Maqasidi, it's importance & Guidelines
Date : 08-12 December, 2006
Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi.

Islamic Fiqh Academy (India) organized its third workshop on Maqasid -e- Shariah to train young Islamic scholars. More than 60 young Ulema from different Indian Madrasas and Islamic institutions from various states participated in this workshop.

Dr. Salahuddin Sultan from Bahrain and Dr. Jasir Audah from London were the key persons to address this workshop. They delivered their valuable speeches on the following topics:

- 1- History of the development of Maqasid -e- Shariah.
- 2- General, particular and individual Maqasid.
- 3- Importance of Ijtihad -e- Maqasidi, it's modus operandi and rules.

- 4- Fiqh -al- Maal – definition and analysis.
- 5- Relation of Fiqh -e- Maal with Ijtihad -e- Maqasidi – a study and criticism.
- 6- Modern issues and problems and application of Maqasid.
- 7- Ethics of disagreement and bringing the schools of thought and organizations close.
- 8- Importance of understanding between different schools of thought and it's role in surpassing the obstacles before Ummah.
- 9- Legacy of Ijtihad -e- Maqasidi.
- 10- Islamic Shariah between the mass and Ijtihad.
- 11- Fiqh -al- Maqasid and current issues.
- 12- Challenges before Indian society and it's solution in Fiqh -al- Maqasid.

5th Workshop on Current Medical Issues

Topic : Current medical issues in the light of Islamic Shariah.
Date : 3-4 February 2007
Venue : Hyderabad

Islamic Fiqh Academy (India) organized a Fiqh workshop on current medical issues, challenges and it's solution in Islamic Shariah. More than 200 Ulema, Doctors and Islamic Scholars participated in this workshop. Dr. Omar Hasan Kasulay, Prof. Brunei University delivered his lecture on different aspects of the topic as the key person in the workshop.

Following issues have been taken to discussion in this two day workshop:

- 1- Organ transplantation.
- 2- Brain death.
- 3- Abortion.
- 4- Use of anti pregnancy pills.
- 5- Birth Control.
- 6- Pulling away restoration equipments from patient.
- 7- Euthanasia.
- 8- Test tube babies.
- 9- Transplantation.
- 10- Sex Transformation.

6th Workshop on “Fiqh -al- Tibb -al- Muasir”

Topic : Fiqh -al- Tibb -al- Muasir
Date : 15, 16 May 2007
Venue : Darul Uloom Nadwatul Ulema, Lucknow

Dr. Umar Hasan Kasolay Prof. Brunei University came to Nadwatul Ulema on Academy’s invitation and delivered his valuable lectures among the selected Ulema and Islamic scholars. These lectures covered a wide range of topics regarding modern medical science and Islamic Fiqh. Some of these topics are: use of modern medical treatments during fast, organ transplantation, Euthanasia, abortion, brain death etc.

7th Workshop on “Fiqh -al- Aqalliyat”

Topic : Fiqh -al- Aqalliyat
Date : 27-30 June 2007
Venue : Calicut University, Kerala.

Islamic Fiqh Academy (India) organized a workshop on minorities Fiqh in collaboration with Calicut University. Almost hundred Islamic scholars from various states and different schools of thought participated in this workshop. Mufti Mohd Obaidullah Asadi and Ml. Badrul Hasan Qasmi from Kuwait were the chief lecturers of the programme as Dr. Salahuddin Sultan was the key person to address the workshop. Following topics about Fiqh of minorities discussed in the workshop:

- 1- Origin and development of Fiqh -al- Aqalliyat.
- 2- Basic rules of *Ijtihad* in Fiqh -al- Aqalliyat.
- 3- Fiqh -al- Aqalliyat between concession and determination.
- 4- Fiqh -al- Aqalliyat and *Zaroorat*.
- 5- Important current *Fiqhi Ijtihadat* in Fiqh -al- Aqalliyat.
- 6- Problems before Muslim minority in India.
- 7- Practical workshop on current issues.
- 8- Debate on basic issues.
- 9- Modernization of *Khitab -e- Deeni* for Muslim minorities.
- 10- Muslim World: Challenges and expectations.

It is also worth mentioning that the Academy distributed a number of valuable books on Fiqh of minorities in this workshop among participants. Some books on Maqasid -e- Shariah were also distributed among participants.

8th Workshop on Modern Medical Fiqh

Topic : Modern Medical Fiqh.
Date : 7-8, June 2007
Venue : Al Mahad -al-Aali, Patna Bihar.

The Academy organized this second workshop on Modern Medical Science and Islamic Teaching after the success of it's first workshop on current medical issues. Dr. Umar Hasan Kasolay was once again the key person of the workshop. The workshop was distributed into six parts. The following topics were taken into account for discussion in this workshop: Modern Medical Science in the Shariah perspective, Definition of death, Brain death, Euthanasia, Medical ethics, *Qaza* and *Ifta* in recent medical issues, Test tube baby, Marriage and hereditary diseases, Relation of heart and brain with human life.

9th Workshop

Topic : Objective of Shariah
Date : 22-24 July, 2007
Venue : Al-Mahad -al- Aali, Patna, Bihar.

10th Workshop

Topic : Objective of Shariah
Date : 25-27 July, 2007.
Venue : Jamiatul Falah, Azamgarh (U.P).

11th Workshop

Topic : Objective of Shariah
Date : 29 July, 2007.
Venue : Jamia Darussalam, Umarabad, Tamil Nadu.

12th Workshop

Topic : Objective of Shariah
Date : 30-31 July, 2007
Venue : Jamia Islamia, Shantapuram, Kerala.

13th Workshop

Topic : Objective of Shariah
Date : 1st August, 2007.
Venue : Al Mahad -Al- Aali -Al- Islami, Hyderabad.

14th Workshop on Method of Teaching Arabic Language

Topic : Use of modern methods and techniques in
Teaching of Arabic Language.
Date : 19-23, May 2008.
Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi

Islamic Fiqh Academy (India) organized it's second workshop on Arabic Language in collaboration with ISESCO for Arabic teachers of various schools and Madrasas. The workshop was distinguished by the presence of Dr. Adil Borawi, an expert of Arabic Language and representative of ISESCO. It was also participated by Dr. Ayyub Nadvi lecturer Jamia Millia Islamia. Both the lecturers delivered their speeches on various aspects of the topic. It was a practical workshop more than mere lectures and theories, as all the participants took part in debates, practical classes, preparation of course book and many other relative activities. After the workshop a resolution from participants sent to ISESCO demanding some special focus and more activities in India.

15th Workshop on Maqasid –e- Shariat

Topic : Maqasid -e- Shariat
Date : 23-26 June, 2008.
Venue : Darul Uloom Deoband, Saharanpur (U.P)

16th Workshop on Maqasid –e- Shariat

Topic : Maqasid -e- Shariat
Date : 28-30 June, 2008
Venue : Darul Uloom Nadwatul Ulema, Lucknow (U.P)

17th Workshop on Principles of Jurisprudence and their application to the contemporary issues

Topic : Principles of Jurisprudence and their application to the contemporary issues
Date : 5-8 November 2009
Venue : Al Mahad Al Aali, Hyderabad

Islamic Fiqh Academy India held a four day workshop on “Principles of Jurisprudence and their application to the contemporary issues” at Al Mahad ul Aali Hyderabad. It is attended 110 Ulama, young scholars from various Madaris of South India, Lecture on eleven subjects were delivered at the workshop. Detailed debates and discussion were held on every lecture. The following are the caption/ subjects:

- 1- Principles of Fiqh, History and Introduction
- 2- Usool Adillah, Basic study and practical application
- 3- Analogical influence, following and Ifta
- 4- How to make inference, literal grammar and practical application
- 5- Real inferential arguments – Basic study and practical application
- 6- Relative inference that arguments – practical application
- 7- Application of principles of jurisprudence on jurisprudential issues in India
- 8- Method of inference, Shariah objective based rules - basic study
- 9- Legislated and mandatory commandments
- 10- Literal and objective inference

A new method of training was adopted at the workshop. All the participants were divided into five groups. Every group was allotted a subject. The first group was given the topic “Social problems of Indian Muslims”, The second group got “Economic and commercial problems of Indian Muslims”, To the third group “Educational problems of Indian Muslims, The 4th group “Preaching problems of Indian Muslims”, The 5th group “political problems of

Indian Muslims". Every group compressed of 20 participants. After mutual discussion presented the basic points to the participants. Questions and answers followed. Maulana Khalid Saifullah Rahmani summed up at the end of the session.

The books/articles offered to the participants for study were as under:

- 1- Izaat Ala Matan Al Warqat (Arabi) by Abdul Salam Bin Ibrahim Al Hasin
- 2- Fiqh ul Aqaliat (Urdu) by Dr. Jamaluddin Atia
- 3- Al Zwabit Al Minhajiya Al Aqliat (Urdu) by Dr. Salahuddin Sultan
- 4- Khulasaat Al Adila Al Ijtahadia (Arabic) by Dr. Slahuddin Sultan
- 5- Tajdeed Usool Al Fiqh (Arabic) by Dr. Abdul Majeed Susuwa
- 6- Al- Zawabit Al Minhajia (Arabic) by Dr. Salahuddin Sultan
- 7- Al Mafarqat (Arabic) by Dr. Salahuddin Sultan
- 8- Surah Al Fajr (Arabic) by Dr. Salahuddin Sultan
- 9- Al Mraat Wal Rajal Bain Al Muqam Wal Muham (Arabic) by Dr. Salahuddin Sultan
- 10- Al Aqsa Yanadeena (Arabic) by Dr. Salahuddin Sultan
- 11- Dima Al Shuhda Lana Ala Al Khuna Al Ulama (Arabic) by Dr. Salahuddin Sultan

The following scholars from India and abroad participated at the workshop and delivered lectures:

- 1- Dr. Salahuddin Sultan (Bahrain)
- 2- Dr. Mohd. Mohd, Anwar Al Shilbi (Egypt)
- 3- Dr. Hussain Al Jabori (Bahrain)
- 4- Ml. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani (Hyderabad)
- 5- Mufti Mohd. Obaidullah Asadi (Banda)
- 6- Dr. Mohiuddin Ghazi Falahi (Dubai)

Young scholars from major Madarsa participated at the workshop.

**18th Workshop on
Islamic Economic and its literal and practical application to the contemporary conditions**

Topic : Islamic Economic and its literal and practical application to the contemporary conditions
Date : 18th February 2010
Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi

Islamic Fiqh Academy India has been on one hand, active in providing religious guidance to the Muslim community in various fields, it is on the other making efforts to deliberate on the causes of economic backwardness of Muslims, so as to ensure economic advancement of Indian Muslims keeping in view this objective. Islamic Fiqh Academy India has held many seminars/workshop, symposia on economics, Islamic economics, Islamic bank, economic upliftment of Indian Muslims and similar other topics.

Among these endeavors of the Islamic Fiqh Academy India is holding a workshop on Islamic Economics and its literal and practical application to the contemporary conditions held on 18th Feb 2010 at Jamia Hamdard New Delhi. It was held in collaboration with IUMS.

The workshop was attended by eminent expert scholar's specialist, jurist's scholars from world fame universities and the graduates from Madarsa.

Scholars and teachers from Aligarh Muslim University, Darul Uloom Nadwatul Ulama, Maahad ul Aali Al Islami Hyderabad, Maahad ul Aali Patna, Jamia Muzahirul Uloom Waqf Saharanpur, Darul Uloom Waqf Deoband, Jamia Ishaat ul Uloom Akkal Kuwa Maharashtra, Jamiatul Falah Azamgarh, Jamia Syed Ahmad Shaheed Malihabad Lucknow, Masjid Tarjume Wali Bhopal, Jamia Tajul Masajid Bhopal, Jamia Anwar Shah Kashmiri Deoband, Darul Uloom Nusrat Deoband, Mahad Al Sharia Lucknow, Al Hiya Al Islamia Lil Tahqeeq Wal Taleef Aligarh, Al Maahad ul Aali Jamiat Ahle Hadith Hind, and other scholars and student from Madarasas participated at it and the experts of Islamic economics. Association of minorities and jurisprudential ruling its chairman and head of the department of jurisprudential principle (Qatar) and the expert of the Academy Islamic jurisprudence working –Islamic world league Dr. Ali Mohiuddin Qurrah Al Daghi came from Qatar.

Three important topics were offered fro debate and deliberation at this workshop held at Jamia Hamdard New Delhi. Three topics were related to Islamic banking and Islamic economics Dr. Ali Muhiuddin Qurrah Daghi delivered very inspiring lecture on these three topics.

- 1- Principals and fundamentals of Islamic economics and its basic character
- 2- Financial institutions and Islamic banking, problems and experience
- 3- How to study contemporary economics

The workshop was presided over by Dr. Ali Muhiuddin Qurrah Daghi, General Secretary IUMS, Sheikh Abdul Qadir Aarfi from Jamia Islamia Zahidan (Iran).

Dr. Ali Muhiuddin Qurrah Daghi in his lectures, dwelt in depth on the above three topics and covered its various aspects. Students and scholars from various sect of learning posed their questions on Islamic banking and Islamic finances. Dr. Qurrah Daghi answered all the questions. He explained that claiming that Islamic Banking without profits is not feasible is against the Islamic economy and the objectives of Islamic banking. The Sheikh said that the 30 years working experience shows that the banks working on interest free basis have been successful in their objectives. Their success is a mortal blow to the Zionist design.

At the inaugural session views were expressed on Workshop on Economics. The aim of this session was to enlighten young scholars on their delegations to wards Islamic economics system and the challenges of the contemporary world and to know the advantage and significance of this workshop in this respect.

The Ulama should cultivate interest in this subject. At the end of the session Mr. Ateeq Ahmad Bastavi expressed his gratitude to all the participants particularly Dr. Ali Muhiuddin Al Qurrah Daghi, for his inspiring lectures Allahs blessing was invoked for the success of the workshop. Then the session concluded.

19th Workshop on Ideological Development

Topic : Ideological Development
Date : 19-20 July 2011
Venue : Azamgarh (U.P.)

20th Workshop on Ideological Development

Topic : Ideological Development
Date : 23rd July 2011
Venue : Deoband (U.P.)

21th Workshop on Development of Thought

Topic : Development of Thought

Date : 25th July 2011
Venue : Darul Uloom Deoband

**22nd Workshop on
Unity of Islamic Schools of Fiqh**

Topic : Unity of Islamic Schools of Fiqh
Date : 17th Oct 2012
Venue : New Delhi

**23rd Workshop on
Research Methodology to Understand the Modern Issues in the Light of Islamic
Jurisprudence**

Topic : Research Methodology to Understand the Modern Issues in the Light of
Islamic Jurisprudence
Date : 31st August to 4th Sept 2013
Venue : New Delhi

**24th Workshop on
Method of Teaching of Quran and Condition of its Institution**

Date : **25-28 January 2014**
Topic : Method of Teaching of Quran and Condition of its Institution
Venue : Mahaul Aali Al Islami, Hyderabad

10. Seminars on other Academic and Intellectual Issues at Glance

| Program | Venue | Date | Topic |
|------------------|--------------|------------------|--|
| 1 st | New Delhi | 19 Nov 2006 | Concept of freedom and Islamic Law |
| 2 nd | New Delhi | 25-26 April 2009 | Education of Islamic Economics at Islamic Schools in India |
| 3 rd | Aligarh | 25 July 2009 | Women's Rights in Islam |
| 4 th | New Delhi | 23 Oct. 2009 | Ceremony of the Fiqh Encyclopedia |
| 5 th | New Delhi | 24-25 Oct 2009 | Economic Upliftment of Indian Muslims: Opportunities and Prospects |
| 6 th | Deoband | 26-27 Dec 2009 | Education of Islamic Fiqh in Madaris |
| 7 th | New Delhi | 2-3 Jan 2010 | Minority Rights and Islamophobia: Confines of Freedom |
| 8 th | Lucknow | 3-4 Nov 2010 | System of Ifta & Qaza Training in India |
| 9 th | Hyderabad | 27-28 Nov 2010 | Family System and Rights of Women |
| 10 th | Aligarh | 23-24 April 2011 | Human Rights with Special Reference to Minority Rights |
| 11 th | Lucknow | 20-22 May 2011 | Ulama-e-Firangi Mahal – Introduction & Contribution |
| 12 th | New Delhi | 28-29 May 2011 | Relevance of Islamic Law in the Contemporary World |
| 13 th | Patna | 21-22 Sept 2011 | Religious Educational System |
| 14 th | AMU Aligarh | 28-29 April 2012 | Political System in Islam |
| 15 th | New Delhi | 12-13 Oct. 2012 | Concept of freedom and its application in Islamic Jurisprudence |
| 16 th | Mau | 8-9 Nov. 2012 | Heritage of Jurisprudence in |

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| | | | India |
| 17 th | Shriwardhan | 6-7 Jan. 2013 | Fiqh Shafayee in India |
| 18 th | New Delhi | 22-24 April 2013 | Shari'a Methods of Interfaith Dialogue |
| 19 th | New Delhi | 2-3 Nov 2013 | Arabic Language in India |
| 20 th | Benglore | 29-30 March 2014 | Waqf in India |

11. Brief Report of other Programs

**1st Seminar on
Concept of Freedom in Islam**

Topic : Concept of Freedom in Islam
Date : 19th Nov 2006.
Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi.

Islamic Fiqh Academy (India) organized a workshop on “Concept of Freedom in Islam” in collaboration with International Institute of Islamic Thought (USA). A number of selected young Islamic scholars and experts of modern international law from Delhi and other places participated in the workshop.

Dr. Nejatullah Siddiqui, chief guest of this workshop and famous Islamic economist delivered his key note address on the topic “Meaning of Freedom in Islamic Shariah”. Dr. Arshi Khan, Lecturer in the faculty of political science in Aligarh Muslim University, also delivered his speech on the topic “Western concept of freedom and it’s analysis in the light of modern law”. Dr. Saud Alam Qasmi and Maulana Khalid Saifullah Rahmani also presented their lectures on various aspects of freedom.

**2nd Workshop on
Teaching Islamic Economics in Madaris**

Topic : Teaching Islamic Finance & Economics
in Indian Madaris
Date : 25-26 April 2009
Venue : Hamdard Convention Center, Jamia Hamdard,
New Delhi.

The subject of Islamic finance & economics has today touched the highest point that some years back no one could have imagined of it, but the Indian Ulema who have always played a leading role in offering Islamic solution to many problems confronting humanity, failed in taking any step forward on this subject. One of the main reasons of this failure is that modern Islamic economic finds no place on the curricula of our Madaris.

It was this feeling that prompted Islamic Fiqh Academy (India), Institute of Objective Studies New Delhi, and Islamic Research and Training Institute Jeddah to hold a workshop on this subject on 25,26 April 2009 corresponding to 29,30 Rabiul Thani 1430AH. The 2 days national workshop on Teaching Islamic Finance and economics in the Indian Madaris was held at the Convention Centre of Jamia Hamdard New Delhi. Eminent scholars and Ulema from India and abroad participated in it. Delegates from all the renowned Islamic Jamia and a galaxy of well known economic experts made the conclave all the more relevant. Islamic Development Bank Jeddah was represented by Dr. Abdul Azeem Islahi (Professor Islamic Economics King Abdul Aziz University Jeddah), and Dr. Sirajul Haque fellow Islamic Research and Training Institute IDB Jeddah. Among the prominent participants were Hazrat Maulana Mohammad Salim Qasmi (Mohtamim Darul Uloom Waqf Deoband), Dr. Nijatullah Siddiqi (Aligarh Muslim University), Hazrat Maulana Dr. Sayeedur Rahman Azmi Nadvi (Mohtamim Nadwatul Ulema Lucknow), Maulana Nematullah Azmi (Teacher of Hadith Darul Uloom Deoband), Hazrat Maulana Syed Nizamuddin (Ameer Shariat Bihar, Orissa, Jharkhand), Maulana Mufti Sadiq Mohiuddin (Mufti Jamia Nizamia Hyderabad), Maulana. Syed Mohd. Wali Rahmani (Jamia Rahman Munger), Ml. Kaka Sayeed Umri (Jamia Darussalam Umerabad Tamil Nadu), Maulana Abdul Qadir Arfi (Iran), Dr. M Y Bagh Siraj (Darul Umoor Karnataka), Dr. Rahmatullah (Mumbai) besides many other eminent scholars and intellectuals.

After discussion and consideration on the related issues in four sessions of the workshop the participants finally adopted some resolutions unanimously and hoped that this initiative will be helpful for Islam, Muslims and all peoples of the world to create a new and just economic system.

3rd Workshop on Women's Rights in Islam

Topic : Women's Rights in Islam
Date : 25th July 2009

Venue : Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh

Islamic Fiqh Academy India as an academic and jurisprudential institution that keeps an eye on the issue relating to Muslim community and making endeavours for the rapid resolution has become the hall mark of the Academy. Advancing its multi faced objectives; it held a symposium on “Women’s Right in Islam” on 25th July 2009 at Aligarh Muslim University in collaboration with the faculty of the Sunni theology.

The inaugural session was graced by the Vice Chancellor Prof. P K Abdul Aziz and Dr. Mohd. Nijatullah Siddiqi among others academy’s representative Maulana Ateeq Ahmad Bastavi (Teacher Darul Uloom Nadwatul Ulama Lucknow), renowned Islamic scholar Maulana Saud Alam Qasmi (Chairman Faculty of Sunni Theology, AMU, Aligarh), Maulana Aatur Rahman Madani (Mufti Jamiat Ahle Hadith Delhi), etc. They expressed their views. The symposium was full of the scholars, teachers and the students of the University.

The one day symposium tried to cover all the issues relating to women. The papers presented at the symposium and were debated are as under:

- 1- Contribution of women of Allah’s Messenger (Pbuh) era to literary criticism By Prof. Ihtisham Ahmad Nadvi.
- 2- Women’s literary contribution during the era of Allah’s Messenger (Pbuh) By Prof. Syed Kafil Ahmad Qasmi
- 3- Women’s Political liberty contribution during the era of Allah’s Messenger (Pbuh) By Dr. Obaidullah Fahad.
- 4- Sharai Status of Hijab during the era of Allah’s Messenger (Pbuh) By Dr. Zahid Ali Khan
- 5- Women’s Contribution to the Medical and Health field during the era of Allah’s Messenger (Pbuh) By Dr. Mohd. Raziul Islam Nadvi
- 6- Women in Defense sector during the era of Allah’s Messenger (Pbuh) By Dr. Qaisar Habib
- 7- Women’s social freedom during the days of Allah’s Messenger (Pbuh) By Dr. Bazgha Tabussum
- 8- Women’s of the era of Allah’s Messenger (Pbuh) and their adherence to the Sunnah. By Dr. Tauqeer Alam Falahi
- 9- Islamic Law of Hijab (Vail) and its application in Iran By Prof. Ali Mohd. Naqvi
- 10- Domestic violation on women and the existing law By Dr. Shakeel Ahmad Samdani
- 11- Women’s Right to education Br Maulana. Ashhad Jamal Nadvi
- 12- Women contribution to preaching during the era of Allah’s Messenger (Pbuh) By Dr. Shamim Akhtar Qasmi
- 13- Issues relating to women employment By Maulana Rafeeq Ahmad Salafi

- 14- Women's economic freedom during the era of Allah's Messenger (Pbuh) By Mr. Jawed Ahsan Falahi
- 15- Women's educational rights during the era of Allah's Messenger (Pbuh) By Shahnaz Ameer
- 16- Teachers of the era of Allah's Messenger (Pbuh) By Mr. Abu Tamim
- 17- Women's Role in the formation of family By Najmul Sabah
- 18- Financial rights of Women By Mr. Mohammad Asim Khan
- 19- Women's rights in Islam By Afshan Nigar
- 20- Freedom to choose partner of life By Mr. Obaid Iqbal Asim

4th Book Releasing Ceremony **Fiqh Encyclopedia (Urdu)**

Topic : Book Releasing Ceremony Fiqh Encyclopedia (Urdu)
Date : 23-10-2009
Venue : India Islamic Culture Centre, New Delhi

Islamic Fiqh Academy India, took on the assignment of translating the Fiqhi Encyclopedia, published by the Ministry of Awqaf (Kuwait) in India, under permission from the said Ministry Praise be to Allah, the Academy completed the work within a short period. In India, this academic assignment was commenced by Late Hazrat Maulana Mujahidul Islam Qasmi. The credit of the work goes to him as the inception and culmination of this approach making work speaks volume of his dedication and endeavors.

Its publication work was also assigned by the Ministry of Awqaf Kuwait to Genuine Publication New Delhi in India. In first phase work for printing of 12 volumes was assigned. The Ministry authorized Genuine Publication New Delhi to distribute the volumes to the Madarasas, Universities and Libraries in India as a gift from the Ministry. The Ministry borrows all the expenses of printing and distributing. Praise be to Allah, Ministry of Awqaf has the CD of 45 volumes of the Arabic Encyclopedia with it. The Fiqh Academy India has compiled the CD of 12 volumes.

Fiqh Academy decided to hold a program in India, to introduce this remarkable achievement of the Ministry of Awqaf Kuwait, and to celebrate the compilation of the Urdu Translation of the Encyclopedia. Eminent Ulama, scholars, university teacher's research scholars and the representatives of academic institutions should be invited to the function, and also pay tribute to the officials of the Ministry of Awqaf on their momentous achievement. The Academy

held a grand releasing ceremony on 23 October 2009. Honorable Mohd. Hamid Ansari Vice President of India, Maulana Mohd. Salim Qasmi Vice President All India Muslim Personal Law Board, H. E. Sami Muhammad Sulaiman Ambassador of Kuwait to India, HE Faisal Bin Hasan Tarad Saudi Envoy to India, Dr. Khalid Shoib Former Director Department of Encyclopedia Ministry of Awqaf Kuwait, Sheikh Badar Slman Sanin Former Director, Department of Encyclopedia, Dr. Faleh Azmi Director Department of Encyclopedia Ministry of Awqaf Kuwait specially graced the function. The Vice President of India released the volumes and present one copy each to the members of the Kuwaits delegation, envoy of Kuwait and Saudi Arabia seated on the chair. The memento of the Encyclopedia with the exquisite picture of the title was also presented to the dignitaries. 12 CD of the Urdu Translation of the Encyclopedia were also released at the ceremony.

The scholars, who addressed the gathering, highlighting the merits of the encyclopedia, were Maulana Mohd. Salim Qasmi, Honble Hamid Ansari, Maulana Khalid Saifullah Rahmani, Dr. Khalid Shoib, Mr. Badar Faleh Azmi, Mr. Saami Mohd. Al Sulaiman Ambassador Kuwait Embassy, HE Faisal Bin Hasan Tarad Ambassador Saudi Arabia Embassy, MI. Badrul Hasan Qasmi, MI. Qari Mohd. Usman, MI. Syed Jalaluddin Umri, MI. Aneesur Rahman Qasmi, MI. Kaka Sayeed Ahmad Umri, Dr. Saood Alam Qasmi, Mufti Mohd. Sadiq Mohiuddin, MI. Dr. Sayeedur Rahman Azami Nadvi, MI. Nematullah Azami, MI. Ameeruz Zaman Keranvi, MI. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani and MI. Mufti Mohd. Obaidullah Asadi is worth mentioning.

A booklet introducing the encyclopedia was also distributed to the participants. The booklet had been translated in to English, Arabic and Hindi and Urdu.

MI. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani the General Secretary & MI. Badrul Hasan Qasmi Vice President of the Academy had compiled an introduction to the encyclopedia in Arabic and Urdu; it was also distributed among the participants.

5th Seminar On Economic Upliftment of Indian Muslims, Opportunities & Potentials

Topic : Economic Upliftment of Indian Muslims, Opportunities & Potentials
Date : 24-25 Oct 2009
Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi

Introduction to the topic its significance and advantage:

The seminar organized by Islamic Fiqh Academy (India) to deliberate on the economic social, educational backwardness of Indian Muslims in the light of the statistic provided by the Sachchar Committee report. This report has substantiated that India's Muslims have been lagging behind in the economic field even more than other backward sections of the society. But the prejudice against them as is evident to in the public and private sector has made the possibilities to improve the situation quite black.

The significance is now more evident in view of the economic recession in the world market. This topic has prompted not only Muslims but the world at large to ponder on the fact that the Islamic model of economic growth has no equal in its significance and advantage.

Islamic Fiqh Academy therefore, held a two days seminar on "Economic upliftment of Indian Muslims, avenues and potentials" was made that what is the concept of economic advancement in Islam. Is religion responsible for Muslims economic backwardness? Could Islamic banking and finance be conducive to uplift Muslims economically what are actual causes of Muslims economic backwardness. What are avenues for them in public private sector industry, trade, government services, private employment etc.

What are the government welfare and poverty alleviation scheme. How to get their benefit. How to protect Muslim society's traditional system of Zakat, Waqf and taking care of distributors etc.

Suggestions and resolution were also proposed towards the end of the session. These were passed unanimously.

Eminent experts who graced the seminar:

Dr. Nijatullah Sidiqqi, Dr. M Y Khan, Dr. Rahmatullah, Dr. Ausaf Ahmad, Dr. Shariq Nisar, Dr. M H Khatkhaty, Dr. Masood Ali Khan, Dr. Afaq Faizi, Mr. Abdur Rahim Quraishi, Mr. Ehsanul Haq, Dr. Khurseed Ashraf Iqbal, Mr. Abdur Rasheed Agwan, Mr. J N Qazi.

Eminent Ulama:

Ml. Dr. Sayeedur Rahman Azami Nadvi, Ml. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani, Mufti Mohd. Obaidullah Asadi, Ml. Qari Mohd. Usman Mansoorpuri, Ml. Badrul Hasan Qasmi, Ml. Kaka Sayeed Ahmad Umri, Prof. Saood Alam Qasmi, Mufti Dr. Mohd. Sadiq Mohiuddin, Ml. Aneesur Rahman Qasmi, Ml. Rahmatullah Asari, Ml. Abu Sufiyan Miftahi, Mufti Zahid Ali Khan, Ml. Atullah Qasmi, Ml. Naeem Akhtar Qasmi, Sheikh Badar Faleh Azmi (Kuwait), Sheikh Badar Sulaiman Sineen (Kuwait), Dr. Khalid Shoib (Kuwait) etc.

Dignitaries from political fields:

Mr. K Rahman Khan, Dr. Salman Khursheed, Mr. Khawja Shahid, Mr. Kamal Farooqi

Topics/issues debated at various sessions:

- 1- Economic System of Islam – India and Muslims (Dr. Nijatullah Siddiqi)
- 2- Concept of earning wealth in Islam (Ml. Badrul Hasan Qasmi)
- 3- Economic Development, in Islamic perspective (Dr. Ausaf Ahmad)
- 4- Jurisprudential aspects in Islamic financial system- contribution of Fiqh academies in this field (Dr. Khursheed Ashraf Iqbal)
- 5- Islamic banking, theory and practice – Indian banking in the light of laws (Mr. Ehsanul Haq)
- 6- The potentials of establishing Islamic banking in India under the legal and constitutional guide lines (Mr. H Abdur Raqeeb)
- 7- Islamic banking in non Muslim countries – its potential in India (Dr. Waqar Anwar)
- 8- Avenues of Islamic banking in India (Dr. M Y Bagh Siraj)
- 9- Islamic banking and legal sphere in India – An assessment and an alternative (Dr. M Y Khan)
- 10- Islamic banking in India – political issue and business potentials (Syed Zahid Ahmad)
- 11- Economic avenues and potentials for Indian Muslims (Mr. A A Faizi)
- 12- Muslims have the capacity to take financial risk – A study of the employees of Muslim University (Dr. Waleed Ahmad Ansari)
- 13- Causes and factors of economic backwardness of Indian Muslims (Dr. Abdul Wahab - Aligarh)
- 14- Causes and factors of Indian Muslims economic backwardness (Mr. Arshad Ajmal - Patna)
- 15- Economic upliftment of Indian Muslims, causes and factors (Mr. Mahtab Alam)
- 16- Potentials for economic advancement to Indian Muslim in the unorganized and private sector (Mr. Masood Ali Khan - Hyderabad)
- 17- Opportunities of employment and means of earning at the state level (Mr. Abdur Rasheed Agwan)
- 18- Employment avenues in public and private sector (Mr. Malik Rashid Faisal - Sunday India - Urdu)
- 19- Industries and Muslims (Mr. Khawja M Shahid Joint Secretary - Industries)
- 20- Permissible ways of investment in India (Dr. M H Khatkhatey)
- 21- Permissible ways of investment in India (Dr. Shariq Nisar)
- 22- The existing Indian Waqf Law – An appraisal and proposals (Mr. Abdur Raheem Quraishi)

- 23- Role of Zakat in raising Indian Muslims from the poverty level (Dr. Rahmatullah - Mumbai)
- 24- How to make existing waqf more profitable and need to set up new Awqaf (Prof. Manzoor Ahmad)
- 25- Streamlining the Zakat system to uplift Muslims bring them out from the poverty line (Ml. Aneesur Rahman Qasmi)

6th Seminar on Curriculum of Islamic Jurisprudence in Madaris and how to teach it

Topic : Curriculum of Islamic Jurisprudence in Madaris and how to teach it
Date : 25-26 December 2009
Venue : Darul Uloom Waqf, Deoband

It is obvious that Islamic Madaris in India mainly concentrate on teaching Shariah subjects and particularly on Islamic Jurisprudence, its methods and its various courses and their varying nature is due to Madaris, colleges, and universities approach. But most of the part of this curricula depends on ten text contained on the books of jurisprudence compiled during the medieval period and reflects the approach of various sectarian belief. But the comparison among the various jurisprudential sects has lost its dynamic approach towards the objectives of the Shariah. It relates to formidable academic revolution in human life, emergence of modern science news industrial product, Islamic Bank notes designs trade, cultural, social, economic conditions raped changes and the far reasling effects on education bring this era of all round progress.

So Islamic Fiqh Academy India invited scholars of Madaris and mangers, as they would be the best coordinator in this respect. How to teach Islamic jurisprudence to the modern race, to debate on all its aspects, requirements of the contemporary Islamic society, modern challenges and how to resolution. They were requested toe express their views on these topics modern challenges and issues and their satisfactory resolution in the light of the Shariah, to train talented scholars to confront contemporary challenges. All these points were debated extensively.

The topic of the first session was “Teaching methods of jurisprudence in various Madaris dysfunction suggestion and its fundamentals”. It was presided over by Maulana Nematullah Azmi. The topic of the next session was “Teaching of principles of Fiqh in Islamic Madaris”. It was presided over by Qari Mohd. Usman Sb. The topic of the third session was “Education of Fiqh Maqarin in Madaris and the objectives of Shariah”. It was presided over by Ml. Mohsin Usmani Nadvi. The topic of the 4th Session was Teaching Methods of Fiqh and Contemporary demands”. It was presided over by Maulana Khursheed Ahmad. The 5th

Session debated the topic of “Fiqh education in Arabic universities”. It was presided over by Shaikh Amar Al Wardani (Egypt). Ulama, university scholars, jurists, teachers from Madarsa and the manager of Madarsa expressed their views and debated it further discussion ensured to reach a final decision.

5th session started after the inaugural session. Various aspects were discussed to reach a better conclusion. The fact worth mentioning here is that 25 thesis were received for the seminar on Education of Fiqh. Four of these papers were in Arabic from Egypt, Morocco and Tunisia. Suggestions were presented at the end of the session on the subject which were seconded by the scholars participating at the seminar.

Names of some of the eminent scholars who attended the conclave are as under:

- Dr. Amr Al Wardani (Egypt)
- Maulana Mohd. Salim Qasmi (Mohtamim Darul Uloom Waqf, Deoband)
- Maulana Qari Mohd. Usman Mansoorpuri (President Jamiat Ulama Hind)
- Maulana Nematullah Azami (Head Department of Specialization of Hadith, Darul Uloom Deoband)
- Maulana Sufiyan Qasmi (Vice Mohtamim Darul Uloom Waqf)
- Maulana Mohd. Islam Qasmi (Teacher Hadith, Darul Uloom Waqf)
- Maulana Shaukat Ali Qasmi (Nazim Rabta Madaris Islamia Darul Uloom Deoband)
- Mufti Habibullah Qasmi (Nazim Darul Uloom Muhazzabpur, Azamgarh)
- Ml. Kaleemullah Umari (Teacher, Jamia Darus Salam Umarabad Tamil Nadu)
- Ml. Mohsin Usmani Nadvi (President Deptt of Arabic EFIL University Hyderabad)
- Ml. Zafar Alam Nadvi (Teacher Darul Uloom Nadwatul Ulama, Lucknow)
- Ml. Waliullah Majeed Qasmi (Teacher Hadith Jamiatul Falah, Azamgarh)
- Ml. Dr. Faheem Akhtar Nadvi (Teacher Deptt of Islamic Studies, Ml. Azad National University, Hyderabad)
- Sheikh Zahid Ali Khan (President Deptt of Sunny Theology, Aligarh Muslim University)
- Ml. Abdullah Maroofi (Teacher Hadith, Darul Uloom Deoband)
- Ml. Mufti Mohd. Ahsan Qasmi (Teacher Hadith, Darul Uloom Waqf, Deoband)
- Ml. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani (General Secretary Islamic Fiqh Academy (India).

7th Seminar On

Minority Rights and Islamo Phobia – Confines of Freedom

Topic : Minority Rights and Islamo Phobia – Confines of Freedom
Date : 2-3 January 2010
Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi

A two day seminar in collaboration with ISESCO Morocco and the Ministry of Awqaf and Islamic Affairs Kuwait was held on 2-3 Jan 2010 at the Conference Hall of Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi on Minority Rights from in official and the Shariah point of view. Eminent Indian Ulama legal luminaries, University teachers, officials from the Morocco Embassy. Eminent personage, journalist, media persons, political leaders and the office bearers of religious organization participated at the seminar.

The seminar had eight sessions. Submit points of the subjects were debated. The Academy received 38 papers on various topics. Titles of some of the papers are as under:

- 1- Minority rights in the era of Allah's Messenger (Pbuh) – Principal and the approach
- 2- Minority rights
- 3- Religious and cultural rights of minorities in India
- 4- Minority rights in the national of international perspective
- 5- Minorities of the contemporary era, an analysis of facts and conditions
- 6- Minorities and Islamo Phobia
- 7- Minority rights and the condition of Indian Muslims
- 8- Islamo Phobia, the formidable contemporary challenge and how to face it
- 9- Relevance and importance of Islamic teaching in fighting Islamo Phobia
- 10- Minority rights in the light of Indian constitution
- 11- Islamo Phobia in Europe
- 12- Practice and precepts concerning minority rights in India
- 13- Islamo Phobia and globalization in the light of western democracy
- 14- India, Hindu extremism and its impact
- 15- Islamic values and convention concerning minorities
- 16- Sermon on Islamo Phobia, globalization and democracy in the post cold war politics
- 17- Islamo Phobia, Definition, Causes and it solution
- 18- European countries and their stand vis-à-vis the minorities
- 19- Islam and a peaceful life
- 20- A factual study of the treatment moted out to the minorities in the contemporary world
- 21- Muslim Minority in India
- 22- Media and Islamization
- 23- Educational rights of minorities, problems and issues

These papers and debates were based on valued suggestions and opinions. The seminar passed convincing resolutions in the light of their views.

Teacher from Aligarh Muslim University, Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi University, Jawahar Lal Nehru University, Indra Prastha University, Jamia Usmania, Bhopal University, Orissa University, heads of many organizations and Institutions, scholars, legal luminaries participated at the seminar.

In this galaxy of scholar some prominent names of are as under:

- 1- Ml. Mohd. Rabey Nadvi - Lucknow
- 2- Justice Syed Shah Mohd. Qadri - Hyderabad
- 3- Qari Syed Mohd. Usman Mansoorpuri - Deoband
- 4- Ml. Syed Nizamuddin - Patna
- 5- Mr. Syed Shahabuddin – New Delhi
- 6- Ml. Aameeduz Zaman Keranvi – New Delhi
- 7- Mr. A B Bardhan - New Delhi
- 8- Mr. Maqbool Ahmad Siraj - Bangalore
- 9- Secretary Morocco Embassy - New Delhi
- 10- Ml. Khalid Saifullah Rahmani - Hyderabad
- 11- Ml. Ateeq Ahmad Bastavi - Lucknow
- 12- Ml. Rafeeq Ahmad Qasmi - New Delhi
- 13- Ml. Wazeh Rasheed Nadvi - Lucknow
- 14- Dr. Faizan Mustafa - Cuttuck
- 15- Mr. Abdur Rasheed Agwan - New Delhi
- 16- Mr. Abdur Raheem Quraishi - Hyderabad
- 17- Prof. Abdul Bari - Aligarh
- 18- Mr. Syed Wajeehuddin - Mumbai
- 19- Dr. Arshi Khan - Aligarh
- 20- Dr. A G Noorani - Mumbai
- 21- Dr. Abdur Raheem Bijapur – Aligarh
- 22- Prof. Saood Alam Qasmi - Aligarh
- 23- Dr. Mohd. Sohrab - New Delhi
- 24- Mr. Mushtaq Ahmad Advocate - New Delhi
- 25- Dr. Ravi Nair - New Delhi
- 26- Prof. A R Momin - Mumbai
- 27- Dr. Qasim Rasool Ilyas - New Delhi
- 28- Mr. Firoz Khan Ghazi Advocate - New Delhi
- 29- Dr. Iqbal Hussain - New Delhi
- 30- Mr. Shanti Bhai Patel - Gujarat
- 31- Dr. Shahabuddin Sabili - Hyderabad
- 32- Ml. Babar Hussain Nadvi - Bhopal
- 33- Ml. Abdul Ahad Falahi - Mumbai
- 34- Mr. Jameelur Rahman - Punjab
- 35- Ml. Dr. Qari Zafrul Islam Qasmi - Mau
- 36- Dr. Sultan Ahmad Islahi - Aligarh

8th Two day Seminar On
System of Ifta & Qaza Training in India

Topic : System of Ifta & Qaza Training in India
Date : 3-4 November 2010
Venue : Lucknow
Numbers of Papers Presented: 16

9th Seminar On
Family System and Rights of Women

Topic : Family System and Rights of Women
Date : 27-28 November 2010
Venue : Hyderabad
Numbers of Papers Presented: 20

10th Seminar On
Human Rights-In Perspective of Minority Rights

Topic : Human Rights-In Perspective of Minority Rights
Date : 23-24 April 2011
Venue : Aligarh
Numbers of Papers Presented: 14

11th Seminar On
Academic Achievements of the Ulama of Farangi Mahal

Topic : Academic Achievements of the Ulama of
Farangi Mahal
Date : 20-22 May 2011
Venue : Lucknow
Numbers of Papers Presented: 32

12th Seminar On
Significance of Islamic Law in the Contemporary Era

Topic : Significance of Islamic Law in the
Contemporary Era
Date : 28-29 May 2011
Venue : New Delhi
Numbers of Papers Presented: 23

13th Seminar On
The Contemporary Religious Education-Problems and Circumstances

Topic : The contemporary Deeni Education
Problems and Circumstances
Date : 21-22 Sep 2011
Venue : Patna
Numbers of Papers Presented: 29

14th Seminar On
Political System in Islam

Topic : Political System in Islam
Date : 28-29 April 2012
Venue : Aligarh Muslim University
Numbers of Papers Presented: 33

15th Seminar On
Concept of Freedom and its Application in Islamic Jurisprudence

Topic : Concept of Freedom and its Application in Islamic
Jurisprudence
Date : 12-14 Oct, 2012
Venue : Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
Numbers of Papers Presented: 24

16th Seminar On
Heritage of Jurisprudence in India

Topic : Heritage of Jurisprudence in India
Date : 8-9 Nov, 2012
Venue : Darul Uloom Mau (U.P.)
Numbers of Papers Presented: 44

17th Seminar On
Fiqh Shafayee in India

Topic : Fiqh Shafayee in India
Date : 6-7 Jan 2013
Venue : Jamia Husainia Sriwardhan (Maharashtra)
Numbers of Papers Presented: 52

18th Seminar On
Sharia Methods of Interfaith Dialogue

Topic : Shariah Methods of Interfaith Dialogue
Date : 22-24 April 2013
Venue : Delhi University, New Delhi
Numbers of Papers Presented: 300

19th Seminar On
Arabic Language in India

Topic : Arabic Language in India
Date : 2-03 Nov 2013
Venue : Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi.
Numbers of Papers Presented: 280

20th Seminar On Waqf in India

Topic : Waqf in India
Date : 29-30 March 2014
Venue : Bangalore
Numbers of Papers Presented: 300

Awqaf in India: Inaugural Programme at Darul Uloom Sabeelur Rashad, Rashad Nagar, Bangalore and Business Session at Hotel A.J. International 15/1, Bowring Hospital Road, Bangalore- 560001

12. Distribution of Books on Maqasid-e-Shariah:

Maqasid Al –Shariah represent the human interest or welfare which Islamic law seeks to preserve and protect and which is in fact, the laws most vital concern and aim, as such, they have continued to dominate the thought of those who labour in the realm of Islamic Jurisprudence and legislation. It is the Maqasid which inform Muslim consciousness and which, indeed, may be viewed as the public order that no one is permitted to challenge or violate and the authoritative point of reference providing the frame work for all Muslim’s activity and their understanding of Islamic law.

Maqasid Al-Shariah is the most promising tool for the modernization of Islamic law and it’s philosophical foundations. It is also a promising tool for the realization of Islamic values and principles in the realms of judiciary, society and even science.

Because of this great importance of the topic a number of writings appeared in this area, including both academic dissertations and book-length works. Realizing the importance of Maqasid Islamic Fiqh Academy organized many workshops on Maqasid for Islamic scholars and Ulema. In addition to that, since hardly any work is available in Urdu language on this important subject, Academy decided to fill the vacuum by initiating the translation and publication of a series of books on the subject to introduce this important area of thought to Urdu readers. These books are published and distributed among a large number of Ulema, scholars, students and libraries of various colleges and universities, and it plays an important role in making the subject familiar to scholars as well as students of Islamic law. Following books are distributed in three languages Arabic, English and Urdu:

- 1- Imam Al-Shatibi's theory of the higher objectives of Islamic law, by Ahmad Al-Raisuni (Arabic, English, Urdu).
- 2- Ibn Ashur – Treatise on Maqasid al –Shariah, by Md. EL. Tahir E.-Mesawi (English, Arabic).
- 3- Fiqh al-Maqasid, by Dr. Jassir Audah (Urdu, Arabic).
- 4- General intents of Shariah, by Dr. Yusuf Hamid (Arabic, Urdu).
- 5- Maqasid al-Shariah (collection of papers presented in a seminar by Indian Ulama).
- 6- Imam Shatibi's theory of Maqasid, by Dr. Abdur Rahman Kilani (Arabic, Urdu).
- 7- Shariah Objectives in financial transactions, by Izzuddin bin Raghbihah (Arabic).
- 8- Nahwa Tafeel Maqasid Al Shariah, by DR. Jamaluddin Atiya (Arabic, Urdu).

13. RESEARCH PROJECTS

The academic and research activities conducted by the Islamic Fiqh Academy (India) cover many diverse fields. Some of these multi-faceted activities are briefly recorded here:

List of Completed Work:

- Al-Seyahat Wa Ahkamoha Fi Zauil Qanoon Wal Shariah (in Arabic)
- Taleemul Qanoon Fi Jamiatil Hind (Bainal Manhaj Wal Tadrees) (in Arabic)
- Tadreebul Qaza-e- Wal Ifta Fil Hind(in Arabic)
- Fiqhul Aqalliat – Osoolohu Wa Mabadeoh (in Arabic)
- Hindustan Me Fikr-e-Islami Ki Tareekh Wa Tarweej –ek- Tajziyati Mutalaa (in Urdu)
- Fiqhul Usrah Al Auzaawal Ahwaal (in Arabic)
- Hoququl Marah Fi Zau-e-Fatawa Al Ulamail Hunood (in Arabic)

A scholarly monograph on the theme “Ambassadorship in Islam, Concept – and Practice” was prepared in the undertaking of the Islamic Fiqh Academy. The monograph is in Arabic language, well argued, bears full references on the basis of which this has been prepared. Extending over more than 150 pages, this monograph discusses in detail the system of ambassadorship, rules means to govern the institution of ambassadorship and the ambassadorial staff, and the methodology of bringing those laws and rulings in to practice.

A monograph on the “Muslim–non-Muslim Relationships were compiled in the Arabic language. This monograph comprises important papers and the writings of the Islamic jurists as well as the writings of the contemporary Arab Ulama.

List of Urdu Process Work:

- 1- Hindustan Me Nizam Qaza wa Ifta –Tareekh wa Taaruf (Urdu)
- 2- Hindustan Ki Sharai Imarten (Urdu)
- 3- Shahriat – Qanoon wa Shariat Ki Roshni Me (Arabic)
- 4- Jadeed Fiqhi Nazriyat (Urdu)
- 5- Panah Guzino Ke Masail – Shariat Islami Ki Roshni Me (English)
- 6- Petrol per Zakat – Ek Fiqhi Mutaala (Urdu)
- 7- Hindustan Me Fiqh Islami Ki Tatbeeq – Tareekhi Mutaala (English)
- 8- Ittehad wa Taqreeb Ke Mawaseeq wa Muhaadat – Tajziyati Mutaala (Urdu)
- 9- Tabai (Natural Resources) Sarmaye Ke Baare Me Islam Ka Moqif (Urdu)
- 10- Hindustan Ki Arabi Tasnifaat – Tarikhi Mutaala (Arabic)
- 11- Hindustan Ke Islami wa Tareekhi Aasar- Tarikhi Mutaala (Eng, Arabic)
- 12- Islam Se Mutalliq Shukook wa Shubhat (Eng, Arabic)
- 13- Hindustan Me Maasir Deeni Taleem – Masail Aur Challenges (Arabic, Eng).

14. SURVEY AND EDITING OF OLD ARABIC MANUSCRIPTS:**1- Survey and Publication of Rare Manuscripts**

Many ancient, rare and extremely precious *Fiqhi* treasures are lying in the form of hand-written manuscripts in different libraries of India. The discovery, research, editing and printing of these manuscripts is eminently required. These manuscripts also contain guidance which may help in finding solutions of new problems and issues.

The Academy has taken initiative in this field and started survey of some of the prominent libraries of India. The survey work is continuing.

The Academy has completed the editing of one rare manuscripts “*Mukhtarat Alnawazil*” (Four Volume) written by Imam Burhanuddin Marghinani, a renowned scholar and jurist of the sixth century *Hijri*, the book already published.

2. Compilation of *Fatawa* of Indian *Ulema*

The IFA has started compilation of *Fatawa* related with economic and public concern issued by Indian *Ulama*. The work of collecting and editing of the *fatawa* is continuing and the IFA shall publish these compilations soon.

On the theme “International laws of Islam in the light of inductive studies of Imam Auzai and Shatibi” a monograph in the Arabic language was got prepared. This important monograph

comprises the writings of some distinguished men of Islamic scholarship, and sheds light in detail on the principles and states of the international laws of Islam.

15. TRANSLATIONS

The later decades of the twentieth century were graced by many luminaries, illustrious personalities and encyclopedic souls in the Islamic world, and particularly the Arab World.

The unparalleled services they have rendered and the enormous efforts they have made towards maintaining the momentum and vivacity of the Islamic *Fiqh* together with injecting it with fresh doses of energy and eloquence have richly contributed to the treasure-trove of the Islamic *Fiqh*.

Their works lend the Islamic *Fiqh* a broader perspective and wider approach in the background of the issues cropping up in contemporary times. It is in this context of completely changing social, political and economic frameworks that interpretative strength and capability of *Fiqh* has been shown in meeting the contemporary challenges.

Taking the above into consideration, the Academy has selected and translated many Arabic books on Islamic *Fiqh* into Urdu for the benefit of the millions of Urdu knowing Muslims spread across the South Asian subcontinent.

1. Translation of 45 Volume *Fiqhi Encyclopedia*

The monumental *Fiqhi Encyclopedia* has been compiled and published in 45 volumes, from *Alif* upto *Yaa* by the Ministry of *Awqaf*, Kuwait in a period spanning over 30 years. Several editions of this work have been published in Arabic.

The Urdu translation of this encyclopedia has been effectively completed by the Academy in a short span of 8 years with the help of expert translators and Islamic scholars. The Urdu version is also spread into the same number of volumes.

The translation work was undertaken with utmost precision and dedication. Standards were formulated and were implemented in five different stages under the supervision of various committees comprising a number of eminent *Ulema*. Thereafter, a Committee formed by the Ministry itself, scanned it word by word and checked it for accuracy and authenticity.

12 volumes of the translated version have been published. The scanning on the few last volumes is continuing.

2. Resolutions of Makkah *Fiqh* Academy

The Makkah *Fiqh* Academy was officially established in the month of *Muharram*, 1396 A.H. under the aegis of the *Rabita-e-Alam-e-Islami*.

Up till now, the Academy has organized 19 *Fiqhi* Seminars at the international level and had passed more than a hundred resolutions about the various facets of life. The IFA Publications has published Urdu translation of these resolutions.

3. Resolutions of the Jeddah *Fiqh* Academy

The Jeddah *Fiqh* Academy is an organization established by the Islamic Conference (OIC). The basic objective of establishing this Academy is to deliberate upon the burning issues facing the Islamic *Ummah* and seek solutions for them in accordance with the *Shariah*. The IFA Publications has published Urdu translation of these resolutions.

4. Resolutions of European Council for *Fatwa* and Research

The European Council for Fatwa and Research is a Dublin-based organization. It was founded in London on 21-22 Dhul Qida 1417 AH (29 March - 30 March 1997) on the initiative of the Federation of Islamic Organizations in Europe. It mainly consists of eminent *Ulema* and *Fuqaha* from all over the world. Its president is Allama Yusuf al-Qaradawi.

Translations of important work on jurisprudence:

Getting important books on *Fiqh* translated in to various regional languages Urdu, Arabic, English, Persian, Hindi, Malyalam and Tamil etc is also one of the objectives of the Islamic *Fiqh* Academy India. The following are the books that have been translated:

From Arabic into Urdu:

- 1- Islamic *Fiqh* Academy Jeddah ke shariaee faisle.
- 2- Makkah *Fiqh* Academy Ke *Fiqhi* faisle.
- 3- *Fiqh* Islami Ki Nazariasazi – Dr. Jamaluddin Atiya.
- 4- Islami shariat Ka Umoomi Nazaria - Dr. Jamaluddin Atiya.
- 5- Badalte Haalat Ke Taqaze aur *Fiqh* Islami – Mohammad Abdul Ghaffar Al-Shariff.
- 6- Islam aur Digar Tahziben – Dr. Taha Jabir Alwani.
- 7- Maqasid-e-Shariat Asri Tanazur Mein - Dr. Jamaluddin Atiya.

- 8- Jadeed Fiqh Mutaleaat Mein Manhaji Bohran – Mohammad Kamal Imam.
- 9- Tafqah Ke Taqaze Aur Hum – Dr. Yusuf Al-Qarzawi.
- 10- Insurance Ka Nezam – Dr. Mustafa Zarqa.
- 11- Islami Tarikh Mein Khawatin Ka Muqam – Dr. Yusuf Al-Qarzawi.
- 12- Azadi-e-Niswan Ka Islamic Tasawwur – Dr. Mohammad Ummara.
- 13- Khawatin Ke Masail – Sheikh Mohammad Ghazali (R.A.)
- 14- Fiqhhul Aqliyaat – Dr. Yusuf Al-Qarzawi.
- 15- Fehrist Maqasid-e-Shariat (3 volumes).
- 16- Maqasid-e-Shariat – Dr. Mohammad Saleem Awwa.
- 17- Fiqh-e-Maqasid (Shariah Ahkam Ka Maqasid Ke Saath Intebaq) – Dr. Jasir Audah.
- 18- Imam Shaatbi Ke Zikr Kardah Maqasid-e-Qawaed (Ek Tajziyati Mutalaa) – Dr. Abdurrahman Ibrahim Kailani.
- 19- Nazir-e-Maqasid (Imam Mohammad Al-Tahir Bin Aashoor Ke Nazdik) – Ismail Hasani.
- 20- Shariat Ke Maqasid-e-Ammah – Dr. Yusuf Hamidul Alam.
- 21- Nazir-e-Maqasid Imam Shatibi Ke Nazdik – Dr. Ahmad Resuni.
- 22- Ilm-e-Maqasidul Shariah – Dr. Nooruddin Bin Mukhtar Al-Khadmi.
- 23- Maqasid-e-Shariat Asri Tanazur Mein – Dr. Jamaluddin Atiyah.
- 24- Kargah-e-Hayat Mein Khawatin Ki Shirkat – Dr. Wasfi Ashoor Abu Zaid.
- 25- Islami Shariat Ki Tadwin Wa Taqin – Dr. Abdurrahman Habanqa.
- 26- Ahkam-e-Shariah – Dr. Mahmood Baali.
- 27- Tabdili Fatwah Ke Asbab – Dr. Yusuf Al-Qarzawi.
- 28- Maqasid-e-Shariat Ke Rahnuma Usool – Dr. Mohammad Hashim Kamali.
- 29- Khwatin Ke Silsile Mein Rah-e-Itedal – Mohammad Al-Ghazali.
- 30- Fiqhhul Aqliyat – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 31- Rani Jamar – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 32- Dawat-e-Din Ke Liye Hijrat- Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 33- Hazrat Ibrahim Apni Zaat Mein Bahaisiyat Ummat – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 34- Meeras – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 35- Aurat Ka Nafqah – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 36- Fard Per Ibaadat Ke Asrat – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 37- Islah-e-Batin – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 38- Awlad Ke Huqooq – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 39- Islah-e-Qulub – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 40- Islam Mein Aurat Ka Muqam wa Martabah – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 41- Izdawaji Zindagi Ke Masail – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 42- Qasawat-e-Qalbi – Dr. Salah Sultan.
- 43- Waldain Ke Huqooq – Dr. Salah Sultan.

Apart from the above Academy has translated important works of other Academic institutions as detailed below:

- 1- The concept of objectives as per Imam Shatibi views by Ahmad Al Raisuni.
- 2- The objective principles as stated by Imam Shatibi, an analytical study by Abdur Rahman Ibrahim al Kilani
- 3- General Objectives of the Shariah.
- 4- Fiqhul Aqalliat – Introduction, analysis and resolution by Dr. Jamaluddin Atiya Mohammad.
- 5- The Concept of objectives as per Imam Mohd. Tahir bin Ashur by Ismail al Hasani
- 6- Fiqhul Aqalliat by Dr. Salhuddin Sultan
- 7- Al Hikmat Zallatul Momin by Dr. Taha Jabir Alwani
- 8- Usool Fiqh Islami by Dr. Taha Jabir Al Alwani

From Urdu to Arabic

- 1- Shariah Issue of slaughter
- 2- Forcing girl to marry
- 3- Relations between Muslims and non Muslims
- 4- World peace and Islam
- 5- New issues relating to Awqaf
- 6- Islamic judiciary by Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi
- 7- Academic studies
- 8- Development of Waqf
- 9- Collective inference by MI. Abul Hasan Ali Nadvi
- 10- Essays by Arab scholars.
- 11- Contemporary Fatawa.

From Urdu to English:

- 1- Contemporary Medical Issues
- 2- Aids
- 3- Clonning
- 4- Islamic Concept of Animal Slaughter
- 5- Islam and Inter Community Relationship
- 6- Juristic Decisions
- 7- Interest Free Banking
- 8- Use of Internet
- 9- World Peace and Islam

- 10- Islamic Banking
- 11- Bai Bit Taqseet
- 12- Shares & Company
- 13- Objectives of Shariah
- 14- Teaching Islamic Economics & Finance
- 15- Economic Development of Indian Muslims
- 16- Maqasid-e-Shariat
- 17- Walayat-e-Nikah
- 18- Bachoon Ke Huqooq

From Urdu to Hindi:

- 1- Forced Marriage
- 2- Important Fiqhi Decisions
- 3- Guardianship in Nikah
- 4- Muslim and Non Muslim relationship
- 5- Conditions in Nikah
- 6- Hindi Report

From Urdu into Malyalam, Telgu, Tamil, Gujarati:

- 1- Important decisions based on jurisprudence

16. PUBLICATIONS:

More than 111 important *Fiqh* books of the Academy in various languages have been published by IFA Publications, New Delhi, and several other reputed institutions around the world. They include proceedings of *Fiqhi* seminars, papers presented therein and resolutions adopted in the form of 50 voluminous books on contemporary *Fiqhi* topics. Besides these, some booklets based on *Madrassa* lecture series have also been published. The compilations of the decisions arrived at various *Fiqh* Seminars have also been published separately in different languages. The Academy is planning to publish booklets on various *Fiqhi* issues (*Fiqh* of Priorities, *Fiqh* of the Minorities, New Issues and Problems, Guidelines of *Fiqh*, *Ijtihad*, etc.) in different languages of India.

Considering the importance of Hindi language in India, the Academy has taken up a special programme for preparation and publication of *Fiqhi* literature in Hindi. Several manuscripts of such literature on issues concerning forcible marriage, guardianship for marriage, marriage with conditions, Muslim-non Muslim relationship and resolutions adopted in various *Fiqhi* seminars are various stages. These manuscripts shall be published soon.

Similarly, the Academy has published books in English concerning Medical ethics, AIDS, Animal slaughter, Cloning, and compilation of the Juristic Decision on Contemporary Issues. Several books in English languages dealing with the issues of Islamic banking, guardianship in marriage, and Muslim-non Muslim relationship are in various stages of preparation.

Here we are presenting a comprehensive chart of the books published by IFA on various Issues:

| A. Theoretical Issues | |
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| 1 | The View of Shariah on Differences among Various Schools of Islamic Jurisprudence |
| 2 | Injunctions regarding Feeble <i>Ahādith</i> |
| 3 | Consideration for Want and Necessity in Shariah |
| 4 | Validity of Customs and Practices in Shariah |
| B. Issues related to Worship and Offerings (<i>Ibadat</i>) | |
| 5 | Position of Mosques according to Shariah |
| 6 | The Issues related to <i>Hajj and 'Umrah</i> |
| 7 | <i>Zakāt</i> and the Exemption of Bare Necessities |
| 8 | <i>Zakāt</i> on Debts |
| 9 | <i>Zakāt</i> on Business Advances and Security Deposits |
| 10 | <i>Zakāt</i> on Diamonds and Jewelry |
| 11 | <i>Zakāt</i> on Provident Funds |
| 12 | The status of the Muhtamim (Manager) and Contribution Collectors of Madarsa |
| 13 | Investment of <i>Zakāt</i> Money |
| 14 | Collection of <i>Zakāt</i> on Commission |
| 15 | <i>Zakāt</i> on the Assets of <i>Madāris</i> |
| 16 | <i>Zakāt</i> on Prohibited Sums (<i>Mal-e-Haram</i>) |
| 17 | Payment of <i>Zakāt</i> as Stipends to Students |
| 18 | Clarification on the Meaning of <i>Fi Sabilillāh</i> |
| 19 | Lands on which Agriculture Cess (<i>'Ushr</i>) and Revenue is Levied |

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| 20 | Deduction of Expenses for determining the <i>Nisab</i> of <i>'Ushr</i> |
| 21 | Method of Payment of Revenue (<i>Kharāj</i>) and adjusting it against the Government Revenue |
| 22 | Agriculture Cess (<i>'Ushr</i>) on Produce of <i>'Ushri</i> Lands |
| 23 | <i>'Ushr</i> on Lands under Tenancy |
| 24 | <i>'Ushr</i> on Fish, <i>Makhana</i> , Silk, etc. |
| 25 | <i>'Ushr</i> on the Fruits and Vegetables grown in Courtyards, Roof-tops, adjoining Lands and on <i>Waqf</i> Lands |
| 26 | The Issues related to <i>Awqāf</i> |
| 27 | The Creation of New <i>Awqāf</i> |
| 28 | Issues related to Slaughtering |
| 29 | Applying Modern Methods of Treatment during Fast |
| 30 | Starting Point of Journey |
| 31 | Shariah Command Convening the Place of Employment |
| 32 | Rami Jamar |
| 33 | Staying at Mina |
| 34 | Which place will hold credibility during the days of offering sacrifice? |
| C. Social Issues | |
| 35 | Rights of the Bride, the Bridegroom and the Guardians in <i>Nikāh</i> |
| 36 | <i>Nikāh</i> by Telephone, Video Conferencing and Internet |
| 37 | <i>Nikāh</i> by Force |
| 38 | Family Parity (<i>Kufū</i>) in Marriage |
| 39 | Marriage on Conditions |
| 40 | Injunctions of Shariah about <i>Mehr</i> |
| 41 | Position of Demanding Dowry from the Bride's Family |
| 42 | One Divorce in a State of Intoxication (<i>Talāq-e-Sakran</i>) |
| 43 | Inheritance of Agricultural Property by Muslim Women |
| 44 | Sex Education |
| 45 | Rights of the Prisoners |
| 46 | Women's Employment |
| 47 | Divorce granted by a Court of Law in a Non Muslim |

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| | Country |
| D. Economic Issues | |
| 48 | Business Transactions by Modern Means of Communication |
| 49 | Status of Currency Notes in Shariah |
| 50 | Buying and Selling on Installments (<i>Bai-Bit-Taqseet</i>) |
| 51 | Mark-up Pricing (<i>Murābaha</i>) |
| 52 | Sale of Rights |
| 53 | Buying and Selling before getting Possession |
| 54 | Trade of Fish which are still in Water |
| 55 | Shares and their Sale and Purchase |
| 56 | Company Shares |
| 57 | The Issue of Security Deposit on Renting House or Shop (<i>Pagdi</i>) |
| 58 | Insurance of Life and Property due to Communal Violence |
| 59 | The Status of Currency and its Exchange between Two Countries |
| 60 | Issues concerning Interest (<i>Riba</i>) |
| 61 | Commercial Interest and the Islamic Shariah |
| 62 | On the Use of Bank Interest |
| 63 | Service Charges of Interest-Free Loan Societies |
| 64 | Guidelines for Islamic Banks |
| 65 | Feasibility of Islamic Banking in India |
| 66 | Establishment of Islamic Financial Institutions |
| 67 | Bank Cards |
| 68 | Multi Level Marketing |
| 69 | Educational Loan |
| 70 | Position of the existing Currency in Shariah |
| 71 | Tawarruq |
| 72 | Children's partnership in the business of their Father |

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| E. Medical Issues | |
| 73 | Medical Ethics in Islam |
| 74 | Position of Shariah on Birth Control and Abortion |
| 75 | Transplantation of Organs |
| 76 | Matters related to AIDS |
| 77 | Use of Alcohol |
| 78 | Medical Insurance |
| 79 | Genetic Test |
| 80 | DNA Test |
| 81 | Plastic Surgery |
| 82 | Death, when it is to be declared & artificial respiratory apparatus |
| 83 | Euthanasia – What the Shariah Enjoins? |
| F. Modern Technology | |
| 84 | Use of Internet and other Modern Means of Communication |
| 85 | Change in the Nature of Substances and its Juridical Implications |
| 86 | The Slaughtering by Machines |
| 87 | The Issue of Using Gelatin |
| 88 | The Issue of Cloning |
| G. Miscellaneous Issues | |
| 89 | Relations between the Muslims and Non-Muslims |
| 90 | Islam and the World Peace |
| 91 | Declaration of Islamic Brotherhood and the Solidarity of Ummah |
| 92 | The Intellectual Growth of Students of <i>Madāris</i> |
| 93 | Ecological Conservation |
| 94 | Fiqhi Articles |
| 95 | Scientific & Fiqhi Studies |
| 96 | Animal Slaughter and its kinds |

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| 97 | Islamic Fiqh and requirements of modern world |
| 98 | Fiqhi Decisions |
| 99 | Fiqhi Decisions of Makkah Fiqh Academy |
| 100 | Fiqhi Decisions of Jeddah Fiqh Academy |
| 101 | General Theory of Islamic Shariah |
| 102 | Collective Ijtihad |
| 103 | Maqasid-e-Shariah in modern perspective |
| 104 | Objectives of Shariah |
| 105 | Fiqhi Issues of Modern World |
| 106 | Internet and Media |
| 107 | Fatawa Qazi |
| 108 | Fiqhi Mabahis |
| 109 | Fiqh of Priorities |
| 110 | Decisions of Islamic Fiqh Academy India (in seven languages). |

17. IFA Publications in Arab World

The books prepared by the Academy, in its short span of existence of about 20 years, hold a prestigious referral status in the *Fiqhi*, *Shariah* and legal treasures in contemporary times. A few of these books have also been translated into Arabic, which have been published by reputed publishing houses of the Islamic world.

The publication of these IFA works in Arabic has introduced to the Arab world in general and the universities and research centers in particular with the *Fiqhi* wisdom of Indian *Ulema*. Some of these books are:

1- *Al-Waqf*

The book is a compilation of essays based on the subject of *Awqaf*, which is spread over 336 pages. It is a marvelous piece of work printed according to international standards. The book has been published by the *Dar-ul-Kutub-ul-Ilmia*; Beirut (Lebanon).

2- *Dirasat-e-Ilmiyah wa Fiqhiya*

The book is a compilation of the academic and *Fiqhi* articles of late *Qazi* Mujahidul Islam Qasmi. Spread over 240 pages, it is an attractive piece of work, studded with beautiful title, superb printing and compilation.

The book has been published by the *Dar-ul-Kutub-ul-Ilmia*; Beirut (Lebanon).

3- *Buhus - e – Fiqhiya*

A gigantic and precious academic and documentary collection based on the Arabic essays and articles written by Arab scholars during the *Fiqhi* seminars. Spread over 382 pages, it is indeed a wonderful piece of work. The book has been published by the *Dar-ul-Kutub-ul-Ilmia*; Beirut (Lebanon).

4- *Nizam-ul-Qaza-a-Islami*

It is a book written in Urdu by Late *Qazi* Mujahidul Islam Qasmi detailing the basic principles and fundamentals of the administration of justice. The book has been published by the *Dar-ul-Kutub-ul-Ilmia*; Beirut (Lebanon).

5- *Sinwan-ul-Qaza wa Unwan-ul-Ifta*

This is huge piece of work comprising 4 huge volumes. It has been researched and compiled by Late *Qazi* Mujahidul Islam Qasmi. The book has been published by Ministry of *Awqaf*, Kuwait.

6- *Al Ijbar Ala Al Zewaj*

This book has been published by *Darul Fikr*, Beirut, (Lebanon). The book deals with the issue of forced marriage. It contains research papers written by Indian *Ulema* for the seminar organized by the Academy.

7- *Al Tazkiya Wa Ahkamuhu*

This book contains discussion on the issue of slaughter of animals by machines. It contains research papers written by Indian *Ulema* for the seminar organized by the Academy. The book has been published by *Darul Fikr*, Beirut (Lebanon)

8- *Al Muslim Wal Akhar*

This book contains discussion on Muslim- non Muslim relations. The book has been published by *Darul Fikr*, Beirut (Lebanon)

Some of the important forthcoming Arabic books of the Academy, to be published by *Darul Fikr*, Beirut, (Lebanon) are *Al Islam Wa Assalam*, *Daurul Waqf Fi Al Tanmiya*, and *Mukhtaraat un Nawazil*

9- Five Books

Five books have been published by A. S. Noor Deen Publishers Malaysia including Animal Slaughter, Clonning, Medical Insurance, Aids & Islamic Banking.

10- Clonning

Collection of papers presented by Islamic scholars and experts in Academy's seminar, published from Qatar.

11- Wilayat -e- Nikah

English translation of the book published by Academy earlier is recently published from USA.

12- Contemporary Fiqhi Decisions

Collection of decisions and resolutions of Islamic Fiqh Academy India published by *Darul Kutub Al -Ilmiyah*, Bierut.

18. Interactions with International *Fiqhi* Research Institutions

The Academy has established interactive links with research organizations, educational centers and the Departments of Law and Islamic studies of various universities in the Islamic world, especially the Arab world. It has also forged strong bonds with several renowned *Fiqh* Academies all over the globe.

Islamic *Fiqh* Academy (India) has contacted the following institutions/organizations and sought their assistance and cooperation on scholarly, intellectual, *Fiqhi* and theoretical levels.

- 1- International Islamic *Fiqh* Academy, Jeddah (KSA)
- 2- Islamic *Fiqh* Academy, Makkah (KSA)
- 3- *Shariah* Scholars Association of North America (USA)
- 4- European Council for Fatwa and Research (Ireland)
- 5- Islamic *Fiqh* Academy of North America (USA)
- 6- *Majma Fatawa Alamia*, Malaysia
- 7- Islamic *Fiqh* Academy (Sudan)

The *Fiqhi* decisions of the Academy have been regarded in the highest esteem throughout the Islamic world. Recently the Supreme Court as well as Federal Shariat Court of Pakistan, in one of its judgment, has referred to the Academy's decision vis-à-vis the prohibition of interest. The above-referred judgment was published and is widely available. Similarly, the Academy's decisions are also being documented by the research centers throughout the Islamic – Arab world.

The Academy has the honor of having of more than 40 eminent personalities as its life members. This has paved the way of mutual interaction between the different academic and intellectual circles besides reaping the academic benefits from the most eminent luminaries of the Islamic *Ummah*.

The representatives of the Academy have participated in 30 *Fiqhi* and Academic Seminars organized by the International *Fiqh* Academy, Jeddah, Imam Abu Hanifa Seminar of Pakistan, *Fiqhi* Seminar under the aegis of – USA, *Shariah* Scholars Association of North America, Inter Religious Seminar of Iran, Unity of *Ummah* Seminar at Cairo, Egypt, and *Awqaf* Seminar, Kuwait.

19. IFA PROGRAMME FOR DEENI MADARIS

The Academy feels that the changes occurring on the international level and the present political, social and economic scenario of India demand significant changes in the functioning and outlook of the religious educational institutions/*Arabic Darsgahs* (which are generally called *Darul Uloom*, *Jamia*, *Madrasa*, etc.)

The changes are needed at various levels: the organization, the system, the methodology, and the strategy. It is to be kept in mind that the three grand pillars of the Muslim edifice in India are *Khanqahs*, *Masajid* and the network of *Madrasas*. Nearly 200 million Muslims in India are directly linked and associated with these three basic structures. The *Madrasas* hold a special status as it is the place where religious training is imparted. Therefore this pillar needs our urgent attention. Unless timely, systematic and purposeful planning is undertaken for the *Madrasas* of India, Indian Muslim community may face a crisis in this field.

The Academy is very eager to give new thrust to the efforts of modernizing the *Madrasas* and has successfully organized lecture programmes (on contemporary disciplines of knowledge) and training camp but the scarcity of funds has hampered these efforts.

The Academy on its level plans to bring about significant changes through its short-term projects.

- 1- By organizing training camps for the intelligent students of the *Madrasas*.
- 2- By organizing workshops for the *Iftas*, *Qazas* and the students specializing in various branches of religious learning and through its programme of scholarships.
- 3- By organizing one - month leadership training camp for the newly graduated young *Ulemas*.
- 4- By organizing lectures on social sciences topics in *Madrasas*.
- 5- By organizing topical workshops for the teachers of *Madrasas* teaching *Tafseer*, *Hadith*, *Fiqh*, etc.

In the past the Academy has achieved positive success on these lines. The impact of these projects will be far-reaching. It is believed that the work on these lines in a planned and strategic manner will produce positive results within a short span of time.

20. Camps:

During its third *Fiqhi* Seminar, the Academy presented a proposal for arranging lectures on contemporary and social education in *Madrasas*, keeping pace with the modern times. Therefore, the Academy launched a comprehensive programme for lectures meant for students from *Madrasas* all over the country with the cooperation and assistance of teachers and experts hailing from Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh; Jamia Millia Islamia; New Delhi; University of Bombay, Mumbai, and other research as well as academic organizations.

The objective behind such programmes has not only been to make these students aware of the significance and relevance of the contemporary fields of education, more so in the present context, but also to acquaint them with the needs of the modern world, providing them with vital information about the issues related to the contemporary human society. Such courses or programmes have been productive to tickle scientific enquiry based on questions and answers, injecting these *Madrasas* students with a new wave of academic enthusiasm and enlarging their perspectives.

Academy has initially selected important subjects like Mass Communication, Anthropology, Psychology, Political Science, Environmental Sciences and Economics for the lecture series. They will be published shortly, Insha' Allah.

Academy has also tried to address this issue through organization of various Training Camps for the outstanding students. In each of these camps, nearly 250-300 selected students from various *Madrasas* of the country got benefited from lectures on the contemporary issues, discussions and other related activities. Many distinguished academicians and teachers from various universities delivered lectures in these camps.

21. Training Courses:

For the fresh graduates (*Fazils*) from the *Madrasas*, the Academy has started a two-year training course. The students are selected through interviews and the successful candidates were provided free lodging, boarding, and scholarships. The students are trained to undertake through research and study on various relevant topics. They are motivated to find solutions to contemporary problems.

The experience has paved the way for such training courses at *Al-Mahad-ul-Aali* at Patna (Bihar) and Hyderabad (Andhra Pradesh).

22. Darul Ifta:

To benefit the general public (whether from India or abroad) the Academy has established the '*Darul Ifta*' (Fatwa issuing centre), which answers various queries in the light of *Shariah*.

23. Web Site:

The Academy has launched its own website <http://www.ifa-india.org> on the Internet, which contain information both in Arabic and English. The contents are updated regularly.

24. Library:

The library of the Academy has about 5 thousand reference books on different subjects and disciplines such as Tafseer, Hadith, Usoole-e-Fiqh, Fiqh-e-Maqasid, Comparative Fiqh, Fatawa, Dictionary, History and Biography apart from books related to Fiqh-e-Hanfi, Fiqh-e-Maliki, Fiqh-e-Shafai and Fiqh-e-Hanbali.

25. IFA Arabic Organ Al Nasharh:

With an aim to acquaint the world of knowledge with the activities of progress of the Academy, the Academy publishes a paper in the Arabic language after every four month. This paper, bearing the name, *Al-Nashrah*, is a step towards strengthening the Indo-Arab relationships and giving further momentum to the bonds of scholarships between the Indian and the Arab men of Islamic scholarships. Thus far, three numbers of this paper have come into light.

26. IFA Calendar:

With a view to introduce itself to the people at large, for the last Five years the Academy has been publishing its special Calendar. First calendar bore the picture of the Masjid Aqsa, the second one threw light on the academic activities the Academy had thus far achieved. The third and fourth one highlights the several issues and the decisions taken by the Ulama under the aegis of the Academy.

27. Participation in International Seminars:

Academy enjoys a good relationship with the other academies and educational as well as research institutes of Muslim world. It maintains it's relation by mutual cooperation in academic activities, inviting their representatives in it's seminars and by participation in their seminars and workshops. Academy's representatives have been participating in various international seminars and presented their valuable papers. The important seminars attended by Academy's representatives are as follow:

- Waqf Seminar, Kuwait 1997.
- Imam Abu Hanifa Seminar, Islamabad, Pakistan 1998.
- Ijtihad Seminar, Islamabad, Pakistan 2005.
- International Fatwa Conference, Kuwait 2005.
- Interfaith Study Tour, South Africa 2006.
- Seminar on Comparison between Islamic Shariah and civil law. IIUM, Malaysia, 2007.
- Conference on Dialogue between Religions, Rabita Alam e Islami, Makkah, KSA 2008.
- Conference on understanding between different groups. Doha Qatar 2008.
- Conference on Muslim Minorities, Doha, Qatar, 2008.
- Muslim Ulema Meeting, KSA 2008.
- Conference of Central Council on Shariah Guidance of Islamic Banks. KSA, 2008.
- International Fatwa Conference, Makkah, KSA 2009.
- Wastiyah Conference, Kuwait 2008.
- Interfaith Conference, Doha, Qatar 2008.
- Interfaith Conference, Tehran Iran 2009.
- Jeddah Academy Conference, Shariqah 2009.
- Makkah Conference 2008.
- Amne Fikri Conference, Riyadh 2009.

- International Medical Conference, Cairo Egypt 2007.
- Meetings of Islamic Economics organizations, Jeddah.

28. Academy getting attention of scholars:

- 1- Dr. Mohammad Bin Hussain Al-Jeezani, Prof. Shariah College of Islamic University Madina Munawwarah, K.S.A mentioned Academy's resolutions in his famous book on "Fiqh Al-Nawazil" (IV volumes), published by Dar Ibne Jozi, Riyadh.
- 2- Dr. Khalid Hussain had mentioned Academy's resolutions in his book "Collective Ijtihad in Islamic Law". He presented this research work for his doctorate degree from Shariah College, Damascus University, Syria.
- 3- Dr. Ahmad Sahimi mentioned Academy's resolutions in his master's research paper for Cairo University, Egypt.

29. Future Plans:

The Academy has plans to carry out many academic and research initiatives. These plans include:

India is on its way of becoming the super power and a big economy of the world. In the present scenario the world is looking at this country for various economic technological and even social initiatives. Islamic economic is growing in the world day after day and India is the next door of this transparent system. In this perspective Islamic Fiqh Academy want to organize seminars, workshops, debates and meetings around this topic to create a good environment for this system and to make common people familiar with its characteristics. It is also useful for creating such persons who have a good hand in Islamic Shariah and also have a good knowledge of modern economic and financial system and practices.

- Diverse and multi-dimensional training programmes for the teachers and scholars of Islamic Learning Centers.
- Training camps for the outstanding *Madrasa* Students.
- Arrangement of lectures on various issues for the Muslim students studying at various contemporary educational institutions.
- Publication of proceedings of and papers presented on modern topics in the *Fiqhi* seminars in different languages.
- Organizing *Fiqhi* Seminars, Symposia/ Workshops on new relevant important issues and topics especially on Minorities, *Ijtihad* and Priority of *Fiqh*.
- To start some new courses for the religious scholars

30. The Great Scholars appreciate the Academy

“Islamic Fiqh Academy is an institution and organization of which the Muslims of Indian particularly the Ulema and the Muslims having Deeni sense and concern do have the right to feel proud and more than to be proud to expresses gratitude. This is a pure constructive, intellectual, academic and Fiqhi organization and collective platform consisting of the Ulema of the Country, who are the most distinguished, balanced in faith & thought and sound in knowledge.”

Hazrat Maulana Syed Abul Hasan Ali Nadvi (R)

(Nazim, Darul Uloom Nadwatul Ulema, Lucknow)

“For the second time in my life I overwhelmingly feel happy and glad. This gathering of yours, demonstrates your deep concern with the issues of the Ummah. Every period of time and epoch calls for reconsideration of the emerging issues in contemporary perspective and it is the first gathering of such kind in India. I congratulate Maulana Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi for convening this Conference.”

Hazrat Maulana Minnatullah Rehmani (R)

(Former Ameer-e-Shariat, Bihar, Orissa and Jharkhand)

“Islamic Fiqh Academy is an Islamic institution which has been providing great services for the last 19 years in the field of considering the contemporary issues and problems and their solutions in the light of the Kitab and Sunnah. The great institution of India Darul Uloom Deoband (Waqf) pays tribute and compliment to the services and attainments of the Academy.”

Hazrat Maulana Mohd. Salim Qasmi

(Rector, Darul Uloom Waqf Deoband)

“The Academy has been making attempts since its very establishment to familiarize the academic and intellectual heritage. The Academy has also brought the intellectual and academic debate and discourses of the experts in the field of Fiqh to the public. Also, the Academy publishes a quarterly journal containing discourses on fiqhi issues. Moreover, the Academy has organized several seminars so far.”

Hazrat Maulana Syed Mohd. Rabey Hasni Nadvi

(Nazim Darul Uloom Nadwatul Ulema, Lucknow)

“The Academy has many achievements to its credit as to the Fiqhi research and search of solution to cultural problems. The Islamic jurists and scholars from all over the world participated in its Fiqhi seminars and gatherings and they arrived at the solutions to many issues and problems in the light of research, fiqh and knowledge. I regard this Fiqh Academy as the need of hour for entire Muslims in the world.”

Hazrat Maulana Dr. Saedur Rahman Azmi

(Editor, Al-Bath-al-Islami)

“The Academy is an important institution founded in India for finding out solutions to problems of the contemporary era and fiqhi issues in the light of the Islamic Shariah. Only the Academy has the honour to bring the Islamic jurists and scholars from the different schools of thought together at one platform.”

Hazrat Maulana Kaka Saeed Ahmad Umri

(Nazim, Darussalam, Omerabad, Tamil Nadu)

“Harmony heralded among the persons of ancient and modern learning, they were benefited from each other and the enthusiasm dawned for taking into account new perspective of thought and consideration regarding new issues. The establishment of the Academy is tremendously valuable and necessary.”

Hazrat Maulana Mufti Habibur Rahman Khairabadi

(Mufti Darul Uloom Deoband)

“This Fiqh Academy is the call of the hour; it is a welcomed and very good initiative. We welcome it and give our assurance of full cooperation in this behalf. Although this venture demands great efforts and thinking, we hope the respected Ulema would guide and be guided by the Quran and Sunnah and the God would bestow upon them the success.

Hazrat Maulana Sirajul Hasan

(Former Ameer-e-Jamaat, Hind)

“Islamic Fiqh Academy, India is catering the needs of the Muslim Society in India guiding them in terms of Islamic solutions to the new issues and problems. Its objectives are commendable and activities very encouraging.”

Janab Abdur Raheem Quraishi (Advocate)

(President, Majlise-Tameer-e-Millat)

“Islamic Fiqh Academy, India is an Islamic academic institution which is engaged with serenity and continuity in its works of inculcating the spirit of collective thinking and conscience as to the problems faced by the Muslim Minority in India and bringing together

the endeavors of the respected Ulema. The Ulema associated with the Academy are known for their struggle, piety and righteousness.”

Dr. Taha Jabar Faiyaz Alwani

(Former President, International Institute of Islamic Thought)

“I take great pride in expressing deep emotions on the significant services being offered by the Islamic Fiqh Academy, India in different areas. Balanced Islamic guidance, to inculcate sense of collective thought and finding out effective solutions to problems faced by the Muslim Minority of India constitute the part of the objectives and missions of the Academy.”

Dr. Mohd. Al-Habib Bin Al-Khauja (R)

(Former Secretary, International Islamic Fiqh Academy, Jeddah)

“The establishment of Islamic Fiqh Academy, India is considered as the emblem of a unique Islamic Culture in the Subcontinent. The Academy is engaged in accomplishing the tasks of unity, knowledge and Islam.”

Dr. Wahbah Mustafa Zuhaili (Damascus)

“To bring the attention of the respected Ulema to the contemporary issues, their understanding and solutions is a monumental initiative. We hope this campaign shall continue and the respected Ulema shall be concerned with the real conditions of the Ummah,”

Dr. Jamaluddin Atiyah (Egypt)

“Islamic Fiqh Academy, India is a famous institution. The office-bearers of the Academy and the persons associated with it are fully occupied with achieving the targets of the Academy very sincerely. It is making every possible effort on regular basis to find out solutions to numerous issues and problems of Islam and Muslims in India.

The Academy has published more than 70 books in different languages on academic, Fiqh, training and cultural subjects and also organized 21 seminars. Also, it has successfully and excellently completed the task of translating the Fiqhi Encyclopedia into Urdu.

We hope from the generous persons that they would always take part for the stability of this new Islamic and Fiqhi edifice, because the Academy is continuously engaged in catering the needs of the hour, solving its issues and problems and strengthening the foundation of Islam.

We pray that God may accept their righteous deeds and bestow better rewards for it, Aameen.

Dr. Abdul Hameed Ahmad Abu Sulayman

(International Institute of Islamic Thought, USA)

“I frankly confess that the services of the “Islamic Fiqh Academy, India” are outstanding. It is considered as the place of reference with regard to solving the contemporary issues. The Academy has been continuously endeavoring for about 19 years for finding out solutions to Shariah issues. It has the full cooperation of the accomplished Islamic jurists and scholars of India. The academic field of the Academy is very broad and comprehensive. There are the works of research and study on the one hand, the intellectual and academic training of the fresh graduates from Madrasas on the other. Briefly speaking, the endeavors of the Academy in all directions are praiseworthy.

May God bestow His rewards to Qazi Mujahidul Islam Qasmi (R), who established an Academy that is unparalleled in its efficacy and value. The Academy is also responsible for the translation of Fiqhi Encyclopedia published by the Ministry of Auqaf, which is being excellently accomplished by the Academy.

Praise to God, I got the opportunity to participate in some of its seminars. I found them better and more valuable than other seminars in the Subcontinent. I verify that the Academy has abundant academic affairs wherein it needs the assistance of generous persons so that Islam and Muslims may be served better.

It is pertinent to mention here that the Academy enjoys very cordial relations with the Islamic scholars, jurists, academicians, professors and sheikhs of Kuwait and Deeni and Community institutions there.”

Dr. Khalid Abdullah al-Mazkooor, (Kuwait)

(Chairman, the Committee for Application of Shariah)

“The Academy has started this received journey 22 years ago and played a decisive role in academic and Fiqhi guidance as to the new issues of human life during these 22 years, because Islam has always faced myriad challenges and such institutions are extremely required for facing them. Collective thought, solution of new issues and Islamic unity despite of differences among the different schools of thought constitute the part of the goals of the Academy.

The Academy has organized 21 seminars from 1989 to 2012 AD wherein the collective decisions were taken on more than 120 new and significant issues after thought and consideration. The important decisions of the Academy include “Islam and World Peace, Use

of Modern Media, Organ Transplantation” as well as the translation of 45 volumes of Fiqhi Encyclopedia is a unique achievement of the Academy.

We (officials of Darul Ifta, Egypt) appreciate the activities and methodology of the Academy and pray that the people should heed their attention to this great work of the Ummah.”

Dr. Ali Juma (Egypt)

“Islamic Fiqh Academy, India is the best institution for solution of the current problems and challenges faced by the Muslims. There is no doubt that the officials of the Academy and their employees have a great share in its development and success. This institution has succeeded in creating intellectual and academic renaissance and activism.”

Sheikh Abdur Rahman Bin Abdullah Bin Aqeel

(Saudi Arabia)

“Islamic Fiqh Academy India is playing an effective role with regard to the unity and harmony and collective Ijtihad among the Islamic jurists and scholars in India. I hope its hard works shall bear fruit and the community problems of the Muslims shall be tackled collectively by themselves.”

Dr. Jamal Barjanzi

(Vice President, International Institute of Islamic Thought)

“It is a great honor for me that Allah granted me the opportunity to meet with the founders of the Academy which was founded by the great Islamic scholars of India in 1989. I am convinced that the Academy is unparalleled with respect to the services in different fields. It is our Deeni responsibility to collaborate and assist the office-bearers of the Academy as much as possible.”

Dr. Abdullah Bin Ibrahim al-Musfir

(Saudi Arabia)

“There is no doubt that Islamic Fiqh Academy, India is playing decisive role in developing common Islamic thoughts in India. In addition, to consolidate the mutual relations of the Islamic scholars and jurists, to make attempts for collective ijtehad and to find out solution to new issues as much as possible are included in its agenda.”

Dr. Fathi Malkawi

(International Institute of Islamic Thought, Jordan)

“Islamic Fiqh Academy, India is an excellent embodiment of the solutions to issues and challenges faced by the Indian Muslims in the contemporary period. I request the generous and benevolent people to cooperate the academy in satisfying the financial and spiritual requirements of the Academy for the sake of truth and righteousness so that its initiative may continue.

Dr. Mohammad Umar Chhabra

(Saudi Arabia)

“I think having met with the Islamic scholars and the persons embodiment of vast knowledge and grace after I participated in this assembly that how enormous achievement they accomplished having founded this “Academy”. Looking to the objectives and missions of the Academy, I feel that the establishment of this Academy is the fulfillment of a saying of the Prophet Mohammad (Peace Be upon Him).”

Justice Mufti Mohammad Taqi Usmani, Pakistan

“I feel very happy and to some extent even some constructive jealousy, I am glad because the Ulema of India has commenced that great initiative which was extremely necessary for the entire world and the countries having minorities and some constructive jealousy because although we are in Pakistan we could not start this work in organized manner and at a large scale. The Academy has set a very significant work in motion, which was awaited for a long period of time.”

Hazrat Maulana Mufti Mohd. Rafi Usmani, Pakistan

May Allah Accept Our Humble Efforts and Bless Us With Success.

