

A brief profile of
Dr. Mohammad Manzoor Alam

Dr. Mohammad Manzoor Alam, son of Late Abdul Jaleel was born on October 9, 1945 at Ranipur, Madhubani, Bihar, India. He obtained his Ph.D. in Economics from Aligarh Muslim University Aligarh.

He held the positions of Economic Advisor at the Ministry of Finance and National Economy, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia; Associate Professor Department of Islamic Economics, University of Imam Mohammad-bin-Saud, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia; Chief Coordinator for the Translation of Meaning of the Holy Quran in different languages of the world at King Fahd Holy Quran Printing Complex, Madinah Munawwarah, Saudi Arabia; Chief Representative of International Islamic University, Malaysia (IIUM), in India; Member of the General Committee of the IDB Scholarship Program for Muslim Communities in Non-Member Countries, Islamic Development Bank, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia; Member of Aligarh Muslim University Court, Aligarh for two consecutive terms.

He was presently the Board Member of the International Institute of Islamic Thought, USA; Founder Member of International Islamic Charitable Organisation, Kuwait; Member, Steering Committee, Istanbul Talks, Civil Solidarity Platform, Istanbul, Turkey; Member, Eminent Persons Group of World Islamic Forum, Turkey.

His present positions in India included: Founding-Chairman, and Chief Patron, Institute of Objective Studies, New Delhi; Chairman, Ta'awun Trust, New Delhi; General Secretary, All India Milli Council, New Delhi; President, Indo-Arab Economic Cooperation Forum, New Delhi; Managing Director Manzoor Academic & Research Consultants Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi; Managing Director Genuine Publications & Media Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi; Managing Director Network Builders Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi; President Indian Association of Muslim Social Scientists, New Delhi; Member, All India Muslim Personal Law Board; Founder Trustee, United Mass Media Association, New Delhi; and many other organisations and institutions in India and abroad.

He was a Member of the Committee constituted by the Government of India to evaluate the process of implementation of the Report of Sachar Committee set up by the Prime Minister's Office on socio-economic and educational status of the Muslim community in India and Prime Minister's New 15 Point programme in August 2013.

He was Member of the International Advisory Board of American Journal of Islamic Social Sciences, published from the USA, and Member of International Advisory Board of the Journal, *Al-Manhaj: A Journal of Multidisciplinary Research* of the Islamic University of Maldives (IUM), Maldives. He had been Member of the Advisory Board of *MEDAD*, published from the KSA, and *Awqaf*, published from Kuwait.

He has left behind his wife, five sons and two daughters (all married).