



Rabia Ali Hundal

📍 **Work** : Via Piero Gobetti 101 , ISAC - CNR, 40129, Bologna (BO) , Italy

📍 **Home** : via Greta Garbo 15 , Ergo Fioravanti , 40129, Bologna(BO), Italy

✉ **Email:** rabia.hundal@iusspavia.it 📞 **Phone:** (+39) 3483787528

Gender: Female **Date of birth:** 11/10/1993 **Nationality:** Pakistani

ABOUT ME

As a dedicated researcher in the field of atmospheric sciences, I am driven by a commitment to understand and mitigate the environmental impacts of human activities. My expertise includes advanced statistical analysis and a thorough understanding of environmental dynamics.

WORK EXPERIENCE

[10/12/2016 – 31/08/2021]

Research Assistant

Institute of Space Technology, Department of Space Science

City: Islamabad | Country: Pakistan

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

[01/12/2022 – Current]

PhD - "Impact of European open fire emissions to greenhouse and reactive gas atmospheric variability"

National Research Council (CNR) , Bologna <https://www.isac.cnr.it>

City: Bologna (BO) | Country: Italy |

[01/09/2017 – 27/10/2020]

Masters of Global Navigation Satellite Systems

Department of Space Sciences, Institute of Space Technology, Islamabad, Pakistan <https://www.ist.edu.pk/>

City: Islamabad | Country: Pakistan |

[01/09/2012 – 18/08/2016]

Bachelor Degree in Space Science

Department of Space Sciences, Institute of Space Technology, Islamabad, Pakistan <https://www.ist.edu.pk/>

City: Islamabad | Country: Pakistan |

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): Urdu

Other language(s):

English

LISTENING C2 READING C2 WRITING C2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION C2 SPOKEN INTERACTION C2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

DIGITAL SKILLS

My Digital Skills

Programming languages (Python, R Studio, Fortran 90) | Satellite datasets retrievals
| Data Analysis and visualization | Microsoft Office package: Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access

PUBLICATIONS

[2017] **[PM10 Sampling and AOD Trends during 2016 Winter Fog Season in the Islamabad Region](#)**

Reference: Aerosol Air Qual. Res. 18: 188-199.

- In a first study, PM₁₀ samples were collected in intensive fog days in Islamabad.
- PM₁₀ varied from 123 to 202 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$ with a mean concentration of 177 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$.
- PM₁₀ levels were higher as compared to limits of Pak-NEQS and WHO guidelines.
- Si, K, Ca, Mg, Zn, Fe, Pb, Al found with crystalline shapes, source as soil.
- AOD levels were found to be elevated during heavy fog days.

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

[14/12/2021 – 16/12/2021] **Seventh International Conference on Aerospace Science and Engineering - ICASE**

Institute of Space Technology , Pakistan

Oral Presentation: Ionospheric responses to geomagnetic storm of June 2015 over the Middle East region from GNSS TEC and GUVI

[20/05/2019 – 24/05/2019] **International Space Weather Initiative Workshop** Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP) Trieste, Italy

[27/05/2019 – 31/05/2019] **Workshop on Ionospheric Forecasting for GNSS Operations in Developing Countries: Findings and Challenges**

Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics (ICTP) Trieste, Italy

RECOMMENDATIONS

Name: Michela Maione PhD Supervisor

I am doing my PhD under her supervision

Email: michela.maione@uniurb.it

Name: Paolo Cristofanelli PhD co-supervisor

I am doing PhD under his co-supervision

Email: p.cristofanelli@isac.cnr.it