

Husain Haqqani

Husain Haqqani served as Pakistan's ambassador to the United States from 2008-2011 and is widely credited with managing a difficult partnership during a critical phase in the global war on terrorism.

Considered an expert on radical Islamist movements, he is currently Director for South and Central Asia at Hudson Institute in Washington DC. Haqqani also co-edits the journal 'Current Trends in Islamist ideology.'

Haqqani has been a journalist, academic and diplomat in addition to serving as advisor to four Pakistani Prime Ministers, including the late Benazir Bhutto. He received Hilal-e-Imtiaz, one of Pakistan's highest civilian honors for public service.

His 2005 book *Pakistan Between Mosque and Military* was acclaimed for explaining the roots of Pakistan's foreign and domestic policies.

His 2013 book *Magnificent Delusions: US, Pakistan and an Epic History of Misunderstanding* which came out in November 2013 has been described as in the media as "the most clear-eyed history of the US-Pakistan relationship yet published."
