

Books With Wings Manual for Volunteers and Recipients

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BOOKS FOR AFGHANISTAN



The Idries Shah Foundation



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After months of planning, and many more on the seas and roads between Europe and the Hindu Kush, a major donation of English-language books has reached its destination – the Afghan capital, Kabul.

Relating to Afghan culture, history and folklore, as well as Oriental themes, the books will be distributed free to public schools and libraries throughout Afghanistan. A kind of literary Ark, they are desperately needed.

They include titles such as *Afghanistan of the Afghans*, *The Sufis*, *A Perfumed Scorpion*, *The World of Nasrudin*, *Afghan Caravan*, *The Alchemy of Happiness*, *Caravan of Dreams*, *Kara Kush* and *Alone in Arabian Nights*.

Many of the titles come from the corpus of work written by Sayed Idries Shah. Regarded as Afghanistan's most influential and important twentieth century author, Shah died in 1996. His books have been translated into two-dozen languages and have sold more than 15 million copies worldwide.

The donation was made by THE IDRIES SHAH FOUNDATION, a London-based educational charity, registered in the United Kingdom; and the distribution will be facilitated by BOOKS WITH WINGS, a Canadian charity, based at the University of Manitoba, Faculty of Medicine.

"We believe that education will provide Afghanistan with the great future it deserves," says Tahir Shah, speaking on behalf of the The Idries Shah Foundation, "and that this cultural and literary project will seek to inspire successive generations who inherit Afghanistan."

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What is Books With Wings?

The purpose of Books With Wings is to get books to the universities of Afghanistan. We've tried other things, but that is all we do well.

This document is kept at:

<http://tinyurl.com/BooksWithWings>

which links automatically to:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1dEq1B4TfvcDF7-8-RVWNgbdXdvtUbPBwnVHSRIUHtzY/edit?hl=en_US&pli=1

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More and more Afghans are becoming Books With Wings Volunteers, both in Afghanistan and North America. Please see Dari and Pashto appeal towards the end of this document.

Please note that all books we send are donated by individuals. We cannot respond to requests for particular books. But we try to respond to requests for books in particular

disciplines.

Who gets the Books With Wings books?

Decisions are made by a few criteria:

- 1) We must have a request for books from a university in Afghanistan from a person who will take responsibility for shipment of the books from Kabul when they arrive there, and assure the books will be available to students and professors.
- 2) A Books With Wings Chapter may decide which university in Afghanistan they are supporting, and can change this as circumstances change.
- 3) Members of the Books With Wings Afghanistan Chapter decide on distribution of uncommitted books.
- 4) We try to send books first to universities that have not received books previously.

Shipping Schedule

We tried two shipments in 2011 and had two problems: volunteer burnout, and insufficient cash for two shipments/year. We recommend shipment in March of each year, well before Spring exams for your student Volunteers.

Shipments by Canadian Forces ended in March, 2014.

All future shipping depends on our ability to raise about \$20,000/year to send one 40 foot container per year from North America to Afghanistan. This could hold about 30,000 books. There are now 92 universities in Afghanistan, all needing books, a situation we expect to persist at least until 2025. If you are prepared to help with this fundraising effort, please contact Zobaida M. Hussain zobaida.mh@gmail.com or Richard Gordon DickGordonCan@gmail.com

History

Books With Wings was conceived in December, 2001. RG was watching a CNN TV interview of the head librarian at Kabul University. We were shown a single shelf of books remaining, with bullet holes in some of them. The reporter pulled one book off the shelf. It was Milton's "Paradise Lost". At the end of the interview the librarian turned to the camera and pleaded for people to send books. RG said to himself: "I can do that". He went to Vienna for a scientific meeting, returned to work jet lagged, and going down the stairs to his lab, just past the Dean's office, he turned around, deciding to see the Dean about how to get books to Afghanistan. As he turned, he broke three bones in his foot (metatarsals) and ended up in the nearby hospital instead. Recovering at home in bed, he had plenty of time to search the Web and phone people. It seemed the number one problem had by others collecting books for Afghanistan was that they got them donated

easily enough, but had no way to get them to Afghanistan. Shipping to Afghanistan was, and remains, the central problem. Fortunately Canadian Forces agreed to ship books. When RG finally met with Dean of Medicine Brian Henderson, he suggested approaching the medical students, who took it on as a class project, and via their network spread it to medical students at most other universities in Canada. The University of Manitoba Neil John Maclean Health Sciences Library made a major contribution of duplicate books, which kicked things off.

Our initial name was MMSA (Manitoba Medical Student Association) International Health Group Kabul Medical Library Project, archived at:

<http://umanitoba.ca/faculties/medicine/kabul/>

Shira Taylor, then a medical student at the University of Toronto, was present at the tea held at the Kabul Medical Institute Library (now Kabul Medical University) when the 1700 books arrived in the summer of 2005. Our Advisor on all library matters, Atifa Rawan (<http://uanews.org/node/19718>), was also there and worked with the KMI Library staff organizing and shelving these newly arrived books. Shira started a similar book collection for Al-Beruny University, then we amalgamated under her heading: Books With Wings. The logo was designed by Andrew Deonarine.

Hundreds of volunteers in Canada, Afghanistan and the USA have been involved. For example, Mrs. Vicel Meregillano-Hicks (Catholic Relief Services) and Dr. Ahmad Zia Shams (Herat Medical Faculty) took the idea ahead in Herat, Afghanistan with Richard Gordon, and later on extended their efforts to other provinces/universities with more volunteers/contributors. About 20,000 up to date, mostly medical books have been sent (through 2014), worth about \$3 million. We have started Books With Wings USA chapters. We are expanding to other disciplines besides medicine, and new Chapters are beginning in all three countries.

Cash Donations

Cash donations to Books With Wings are tax deductible via the University of Manitoba, which will issue a tax receipt honored by Canada. We need a volunteer to make a similar arrangement in the USA.

100% of all cash donations go for:

1. book labeling and packaging materials
2. shipping within North America
3. shipping to Kabul
4. shipping within Afghanistan
5. purchase of specialty books, such as midwifery and landmine injury books, that generally don't show up in donations
6. occasional pizza and drinks for volunteers.

Books With Wings has no paid staff: 100% volunteers.

If you would like to make a cash donation to Books With Wings please contact:

Development and Advancement Services

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email: development@umanitoba.ca or advancement_services@umanitoba.ca

Checks can be made out to "The University of Manitoba" with a note on them that the donation is for Books With Wings.

If you wish to make a cash donation online, please visit:

https://umanitoba.ca/admin/dev_adv/howtogive/donation/index.html

Then click on:

Giving Opportunities

Then:

Make a gift online

Then:

Online Donations

Alumni and friends, click here

This will take you to the:

Online Donation Form

There you will find:

*I want to direct my gift to...

Pull down to:

Books For Afghanistan Fund

In order to receive a tax deductible receipt, you must include your name and address information with the donation.

The funds are sent to any chapter having trouble raising enough cash locally, in exchange for valid receipts for their expenses. Contact the signing authority for our Books With Wings accounts:

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Starting a Books With Wings Chapter

Chapters operate autonomously except for coordination of shipping. You may organize yourselves any way you wish. Some chapters have formal roles and register as a student group at their university. This sometimes allows access to local campus funding and space to store and process books. As most students can volunteer for only one or two years, it is important to annually recruit new members. This is best done by making a short presentation at orientation sessions for incoming students. Some chapters interview candidates for leadership roles. You may want some division of labor. Typical tasks are:

1. Sorting and cataloging books. Each book takes about 10 minutes to catalog and label, and we typically try to aim at 1000 or so books per chapter per year. This takes roughly 10,000 minutes or about 170 hours of volunteer time. So you could easily use 10 to 20 volunteers per year. We highly recommend you recruit this many people. Otherwise the work is too much per person.

2. Setting criteria for sending books to Afghanistan. This depends on the discipline. In medicine we use the guideline that books must be no more than 10 years old or of lasting value (typically anatomy books, for instance). If you are collecting for other disciplines, get guidance on criteria from students or professionals in the area, and let us know (DickGordonCan@gmail.com).
3. Public Relations (PR). Get interviews about what you're doing in local and community newspapers (especially Afghan), TV stations and radio stations. Ask for book donations. Approach libraries for older editions they are discarding, publishers for excess stock, professors for sample textbooks they've received, and student used book depots and bookstores for unsold stock.
4. Book drop sites. We have found it useless to ask people to donate books in specific areas. If you want medical books, for instance, put a collection site at your medical library or medical bookstore. Use a locked drop box or keep shelving where surveillance is done, for instance at the entrance of a library or bookstore, else books will disappear.
5. Book sales. Our general experience is that about 1/3 of the books donated are worth sending to Afghanistan. When enough books accumulate that are not worth sending, hold a book sale. Pick a high traffic area. In the past we started at \$2/book and went down over a 5 day period. A more successful model seems to be to ask people to make donations for the books they take. Try to get a university account to put the money in, typically \$700 to \$1500. Advertise widely and most of the books will be snarfed up, and your BWW Chapter will also gain recognition. Let people at the sale know where your drop points are for donated books, and let them know that cash donations are also needed. Clean up afterwards when done, so that you stay in the good graces of whoever gives you space for the book sale.
6. Fund raising. This is an art, at which we have not had great success. If you can get a volunteer who is skilled at it, put them to work. While doing your Public Relations, ask for both book and cash donations, emphasizing that the latter are tax deductible. Approach your local Student Union and Deans for group funds. Apply for grants that are appropriate. List all grants you get on your chapter's web pages, to publicly acknowledge them and so that others know where to apply again in subsequent years. Events that offer Afghan food (for a donation exceeding the cost of the food) will pull people in. It really tastes good. A speaker who is upbeat on Afghanistan is good to have. Combine fund raising with related organizations, such as Canadian Women for Women in Afghanistan <http://www.CW4WAfghan.ca>
7. Picture taking. It helps a lot if our recipients see who is helping them out. Take pictures and post them on our FaceBook web pages: <http://www.facebook.com/groups/144095265683921/>
8. Preparation for shipping. Labelled books are sorted by their Library of Congress or National Library of Medicine catalog numbers, and packed in shelf order. This way they are ready to use on arrival. Details below.
9. Keeping in contact with your recipients. Use Skype when possible, e-mail, or Facebook, etc. Up to you. This helps ensure that there will be a person in Afghanistan who will see to it that your collected books are received and made available to students and faculty.

10. Keeping in contact with other chapters. Nearby chapters can often share shipping costs, and distant ones can help one another out by sharing cash. Student volunteers changing universities can make new contacts and help keep Books With Wings going.
11. Purchase of specialty books. This requires close contact with your recipients, because your spare cash (if any) is going to buy only a relatively few books. Pick titles with them. Ask your university bookstore or the publishers for discounts. Get them in time to include with the next shipment.
12. Purchase of supplies. Buy boxes, labels, mylars, tape, bookplates, etc. in bulk when appropriate. Share with other chapters when cost effective. Details below on what is needed.
13. Shipping within your country. Locating a trucker or friend who is willing to pull a U-Haul trailer, etc., who is going to San Francisco or Montreal and is willing to carry your books for free or a discount really helps. If they can stop by other chapters en route, so much the better.
14. Involve other student groups. Examples are local Afghan students, engineers, etc.
15. Replacing yourselves. Deliberately find volunteers who want to replace you when you can't volunteer anymore. Start with orientation sessions for incoming students and give a short, illustrated talk on Books With Wings. Meet with members of other chapters when you're travelling. Suggest that friends elsewhere start Books With Wings chapters.
16. If you like formal structure, see "Organization" at:
<http://www.umanitoba.ca/faculties/medicine/radiology/Kabul/kabulmedbooks/kabullibrary.htm>

If you are in a country other than Canada or the USA, your first task will be to find an agency, such as the military or an NGO, that ships lots of stuff to Afghanistan, and try to convince them to ship boxes of books for free to Afghanistan about once a year. Courier shipping is generally too expensive (about \$300 per box).

Books With Wings Afghanistan Chapter

This Chapter has been organized by Dr. Bashir Ahmad bashirahmad07@gmail.com, Skype: bahmad011, and Dr. Mohammad Shafiq Faqeerzai faqeerzai@gmail.com, Skype: A1Shafiq, with the following functions. Please contact either of them to participate.

1. deciding which institutions of higher learning most need books from Books With Wings, and in what disciplines
 2. requesting volunteers in North America to obtain and ship the requested books
 3. distributing the books on arrival within Afghanistan
- See Dari and Pashto appeal for Volunteers below.

Supplies Needed

Bookplates: peel off stickers 2.5x4 inches that go on the inside of the front cover of all the books being sent. Can be printed at places like Staples or label printers. Cheaper in bulk, and sharable with other chapters.



Designed by Ms. Soraya Atayee. For original file contact: DickGordonCan@gmail.com
If you have labels printed, it is important to make sure that they will be readable. Some printing processes are too low in resolution. Work this out with your printer.

White labels: peel off stickers 1x2 inches go on spines of books, call numbers written carefully and clearly on these with fine tip black permanent marker, or computer printed if you want to take the trouble. Can be found at places like Staples or local label companies, for good prices in quantity.

Mylar (precut clear, transparent stickers): These adhesive mylars are to be put over white labels to ensure they stay on books. Test a sample to make sure the glue sticks and lasts. Dimensions should be 3x2". Ask your library acquisitions department where to get these.

Boxes

Dimensions: 17 1/4 x 11 1/4 x 8" 275 lb.

Heavy Duty Corrugated Boxes

This is our standard size and strength and an industry standard. Do not get any other size/strength of box. Your shipment may be restacked with others when it gets to its port of departure or is redistributed with Afghanistan. Boxes of different sizes don't stack well, and weaker boxes break open. Generally there is a substantial discount if you order 100 boxes. Check local suppliers or Internet. Watch shipping costs to get the boxes to you.

Pallets

Pallet size: 40x48"

Pallets can often be obtained free from your university shipping and receiving. Each pallet should contain no more than 80 boxes, each pallet must be wrapped in plastic (like heavy Saran Wrap). This will help to maintain the integrity of the pallets.

Other supplies: scissors, permanent markers (thick and thin tip), strong, clear packing tape, tape dispenser, pizza.

Preparation of Books and Boxes

Contact "Bashir Ahmad, M.D." <bashirahmad07@gmail.com> or Dr. Mohammad Shafiq Faqeerzai faqeerzai@gmail.com to determine where your books are most needed.

1. Select the books worth sending to Afghanistan (by criteria above)
2. Catalog each book (instructions below)
3. Shelf the books in catalog order
4. Split the books if going to more than once recipient, as appropriate per disciplines covered
5. When the whole shipment is ready, pack the books in shelf order
6. Number the boxes consecutively, in shelf order. It is a good idea to also put the call number of the first book it contains on each box
7. Label the box with the name of the school that is supposed to receive it
8. DO NOT label boxes with anything that identifies its source, except the letters BWW and letters identifying your donor school. This is because shipment of boxes labeled as coming from the USA or Canada presents a security risk and can be dangerous to the people handling them in Afghanistan.

Finding Catalog Numbers for Books

Library of Congress or national Library of Medicine catalog numbers are used. DO NOT use Dewey decimal numbers or anything else. We do cataloging because there are still few professional librarians in Afghanistan. Uncatalogued books often just sit in boxes on arrival.

Table 1. Typical Library of Congress/National Library of Medicine numbers have 4 parts:

One or two letters	Decimal	Letter/number combination	Year
QH	581.2	E78	1997
R	123	F697	2002

WW	140	T843p	1993
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Steps to getting a National Library of Medicine (NLM)/Library of Congress (LC) number for books being sent to Afghanistan:

1. Check if the book meets criteria for being worth sending. If not, put it with others for the next book sale.
2. Check the spine of the book to see if it already has a label. Clean the label with an organic solvent if necessary or cover it with a new copied label.
3. Look inside the book on the back of the title page. Find a number matching the above format.
5. If you need to search online for the catalog #, bookmark the following web pages and try finding your book:

NLM: <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/nlmcatalog/advanced>

LC: <http://catalog.loc.gov/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?DB=local&PAGE=First>

WorldCat: <http://www.worldcat.org/advancedsearch>

6. If these don't work, give up. Put a blank label on the book (see below) but with no mylar, and put it in a separate pile. Try to ask a professional librarian to construct an LC # for you.
7. Label the book. Use white labels about 2cm wide and 4cm tall, or about 1x3 inches. Write the # in clear printing with a fine felt-tip pen with permanent ink as follows, on a stick-on white label. Write the letters and numbers as large as will fit:

WW
140
T843p
1993

8. Place the label on the spine of the book (or on the front cover, if it's too narrow), so it doesn't cover the author or title.
9. Cover the label with a clear pre-cut mylar tape. Clear packing tape may be used if you can't get the mylars.
10. Place a stick-on Books With Wings bookplate inside the front cover of the book, elsewhere if it would cover up useful information.
11. Shelf the book in Library of Congress/NLM order.

Directory of Books With Wings Volunteers in Charge

The "person in charge" for recipients helps with receiving books, and makes sure they

are available to students and professors. Also helps contact Books With Wings chapters in North America about disciplines in which books are needed, and is expected to be a member of Books With Wings Afghanistan.

The “person in charge” for chapters is expected to coordinate with other chapters and recipients so that books are fairly distributed, and the greatest needs met first. They should also find their own replacements when necessary, in a timely fashion, so that their chapter has some chance of continuing to function.

Please send updates to Richard Gordon DickGordonCan@gmail.com

Table 2. Books With Wings Directory (incomplete: please help fill in blanks)

Location	Person in Charge	E-mail	Skype/Facebook	Phone
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Table 3. Books Shipped, Received or Requested (approximate & incomplete: please help fill in blanks): DickGordonCan@gmail.com

Location	Year	Topic(s)	Books
Chapters			
Afghanistan			
University of Alberta			
American University, Washington, DC	2012	General	collecting books
University of Arizona			
Australia			
Brandeis University			
University of British Columbia			
University of Calgary	2012	Engineering	Herat University collecting
		Medicine	
Carleton University, Ottawa	2012	Political science, public affair analysis, accounting and business	Bamyan University, 1000 books ready to send
Dalhousie University			
Eastern Iowa Community College	2012		
Georgetown College	2013		
Livres du Monde	2007	Medicine	
University of Manitoba	2011	Literature	Bamyan University sent
	2007	Medicine	

	2011		sent 40' for Herat Univesity
	2012		collecting 30' for Cheragh Medical Institute
Memorial University of Newfoundland	2007	Medicine	
Monterey Institute of International Studies	2011		
University of Ottawa	2007	Medicine	
Queen's University	2007	Medicine	
	2012	Medicine, Nursing, Science, Humanities	200 books being sent to Ariana Institute of Higher Education 200 books being sent to Ghalib Institute of Higher Education
University of Rochester	2011		
Syracuse University	2013		collecting for Diplomacy and International Studies Institute of Higher Education
University of Toronto	2007	Medicine	
	2011	General	Bamyan University, en route
	2011	Medicine	en route
	2012	Medicine	collecting
University of Western Ontario	2007	Medicine	

University of Winnipeg	2012		coordinating with University of Manitoba
York University	2011 2012	Science	Bamyan University, en route collecting
Recipients			
Afghan German international Hospital	2013	Medicine & Toronto Notes	4 Boxes
Afghan Institute of Learning			
Afghanistan Research & Evaluation Unit			
Aiana Medical Institute for Higher Education		Medicine	requested 2011
Alberoni University		Agriculture	
		Education	
		Engineering	
		Literature	
	2005	Medicine	1500
	2013	Medicine	10 Boxes
Aliabad Teaching Hospital	2013	Medicine	5 Boxes
American University of Afghanistan			
Aria Institute of Higher Education		Economics	requested 2011
		Engineering	requested 2011
		Law	requested 2011

	2010	Medicine	49 Boxes
			requested 2011
Ariana Medical University		Dentistry	requested 2011
		Midwifery	requested 2011
		Nursing	requested 2011
		Pharmacy	requested 2011
Badakhshan Institute of Higher Education		Education	
Baghlan University			
Bakhtar Development Network (BDN)	2013	medicine, public health, finance, and general management	3 Boxes
Bakhtar Institute of Higher Education		Engineering	requested 2011
		Journalism	
		Law	
		Political Science	
Balkh University		Agriculture	
		Education	
		Engineering	
		History	
		Law	
		Literature	
	2010	Medicine	49 boxes
	2013	Medicine &	10 Boxes

		Toronto Notes	
		Political Science	
Bamyan University		Agriculture (Agricultural Economics, Agronomy, Animal Science, Horticulture)	requested 2011
	2011	Education (Biology, Chemistry, Dari, English, Islamic Studies, Mathematics, Psychology)	requested 2011 University of Manitoba, York University and University of Toronto sent books
		Geoscience (Geography, Geology, Metrology)	requested 2011
	2013	Medicine	27 Boxes
		Social Science (Archeology, History, Philosophy, Sociology, Tourism)	requested 2011
Bost University of Helmand	2014	Medicine	4 Boxes
Cheragh Medical Higher Education Institute	2013	Medicine	10 Boxes
Cure International Hospital	2013	Medicine	1Box
	2013	Toronto Note	Boxes

Dawat University	2013	Economics	1 Box
		Engineering	requested 2011
		Islamic Studies	
		Journalism	requested 2011
	2013	Law & Political Science	1 Box
	2013	Pharmacy & Medical	8 Boxes
Emerging Leaders Consulting Services (ELCS)		women's issues, public health, economics, environment, refugees	requested 2013
	2013	Public Health Toronto Notes	5 Boxes
Diplomacy and International Studies Institute of Higher Education	2013		
Faizabad Institute of Health Sciences			
Faryab Higher Education Institution		Agriculture	
		Education	
Gawharshad Institute of Higher Education	2013	Politics, Economics & Toronto Notes	12 Boxes
	2014	Politics & Economics	150 Box
Ghalib Institute of Higher Education		Computer Science	requested 2011
		Economics	requested 2011

		Law	requested 2011
	2013	Medicine	10 Boxes
Ghaussy Family Diagnostic Clinic	2014	Medicine	2 Boxes
	2014	Toronto Notes	2 Set
Ghazanfar Institute of Health Sciences			
Helmand Institute of Health Sciences			
Herat Institute of Health Sciences			
Herat University		Agriculture	
		Art	
		Computer Science	
	2013	Economy	1 Box
	2013	Politics	1 Box
		Engineering	requested 2011 University of Calgary collecting books
	2013	Toronto Notes	1 Box
		Literature	
	2004	Medicine	200
	2011	Medicine	sent 2011 from University of Manitoba
	2012	Medicine	44 Boxes
h	2013	Medicine	7 Boxes

Institute of Higher Education in Jowzjan			
Jalalabad Institute of Health Sciences			
Kaboora Institute of Higher Education			
Kabul Education University		Education	
Kabul Institute of Health Sciences			
Kabul Medical University	2007	Dentistry	
	2004 2007	Medicine	1700 Books
	2013	Toronto Notes	8 Sets
Kabul Poly Technique University			
Kabul University		Agriculture	
		Computer Science	
		Economics	
		Engineering	
		Fine Arts	
		Geoscience	
		Islamic Studies	
		Journalism	
		Language & Literature	
		Law	
		Pharmacy	

		Psychology	
		Science	
		Social Science	
		Veterinary Medicine	
Kandahar Institute of Health Sciences		Midwifery	
Kandahar University		Agriculture	
		Education	
		Engineering	
	2007	Medicine	
Kardan Institute of Higher Education	2007 2010	Business	6 boxes
Khost University (Sheikh Zayed University)		Agriculture	
		Business & Management	
	2013	Economy	1 Box
		Engineering	
		Law	
	2013	Medicine	7 Boxes
		Shariya	
	2013	Toronto Notes	2 Boxes
Kunar University	2012	Agriculture	requested 2013
		Computer Science	requested 2013
	2013	Education	requested 2013

	2013	Science	3 Box
		Islamic Sciences	requested 2013
Kunduz University		Agriculture	
	2013	Education	1 Box
	2013	Stomatology	4 Boxes
Malalai Maternity Hospital in Kabul	2013	Ob-Gyn	One Box
Mazar i Sharif Institute of Health Sciences			
Mirwais Regional Hospital	2007	Midwifery	2 boxes
Nangarhar Accounting and Management Institute	2013	Economics, Business administration, Management, Accounting	
Nangarhar University		Agriculture	
		Education	
		Engineering	
		Literature	
		Law	
	2007	Medicine	
		Political Science	
		Sharya	
		Veterinary	
University of Nasir Khusrow	2014	General nonfiction	? boxes en route

National Institute of Management and Administration (NIMA)			requested 2014
Needa Institute for Higher Education		Economics	requested 2011
		Engineering	requested 2011
OHPM or Organization for Health Promotion Management	2013	Medicine	2 Boxes
Oruj Leadership and Management Institute			
Paktia University		Agriculture	
		Education	
	2013	Medicine	8 Boxes
	2013	Toronto Notes	2 Boxes
Parwan Higher Education Institution		Education	
Police Hospital, Kabul	2013	Neurosurgery	requested 2013
Rokhan University		Medicine	requested 2013
		Economics,	requested 2013
		Business Administration	requested 2013
		Law	requested 2013
Smart Consulting and Research, Herat		Public health	requested 2011
Takhar University		Engineering	
Uruzgan University		Education	

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