



Impact of “Job Satisfaction” and “Emotional Exhaustion” on “Job Hopping” through Organizational Commitment in Banking Sector of Pakistan

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Article Information	Abstract
Article history Submitted: 2022-02-13 Accepted: 2022-03-24 Published: 2022-03-25	The study investigates the impact of job satisfaction and emotional exhaustion on job hopping in Pakistan's banking sector, using "organizational commitment" as a mediating variable. The quantitative research methodology was used. The data collected was primary data gathered through utilizing the questionnaire survey technique. The respondents were the employees of private and public banks including the Bank of Punjab, Allied Bank, Alfalah Bank, Faysal Bank and National Bank of Pakistan. The technique i.e. used for the sampling purposes include “two-stage stratified random sampling”. Total 500 questionnaires were distributed, 365 were received including the questionnaires obtained from electronic sources (17 questionnaires), out of which 15 were not filled completely. Thus, the actual sample size utilized for analysis was 350 questionnaires that comprises of 70% of response rate. The statistical tools used for the analysis of data included: “SPSS” and “AMOS”. The findings of the study have shown that the “emotional exhaustion” is directly proportional with the “job hopping” act of employees leading them to switch jobs, while the job satisfaction lead towards negative influence on job hopping, employees with less exhaustion and more satisfaction upholds higher organizational commitment leading towards less job hopping behavior and vice versa. The study recommends that the employers should ensure the sustainability of the healthy environment to facilitate the employees with higher satisfaction and least stress and exhaustion level. Moreover, appraisal and balanced working paradigms could be adopted in order to confirm gratifying and soothing emotional balance among employees as major focus of organizations at present.
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Introduction and Objectives of Study

Mobility of job has become the biggest concern of different organizations in the present competitive world. This is due to depreciating satisfaction and emotionally exhausting issues; along with employees own volitions towards job shifting. The employees not only shift jobs based on the monetary or non-monetary factors (Feng & Angeline, 2010); but a natural internal level intention is among the reason behind the changing of job for no apparent reasons. Such

behavior has been quoted as the job hopping behavior. Changing of jobs is pattern of individuals of altering organizations in time period of one or two years based on personal volition or fun, along as resultant of company closure or layoff issues (Kafeel & Alvi, 2015).

Moreover, job hopping has been regarded as the resultant of dissatisfaction and lack of commitment with the job followed by other alternatives (Ivanovic & Ivancevic, 2019). The top level of “organizational commitment” is considered to be obtained in this regard (Ganco, Ziedonis, Rosemarie, & Agarwal, 2014). The employees who work more clearly with the organization with full enthusiasm and commitment, leads to an effective “organizational commitment”. The two factors which are found to play an important role in this regard include: “job satisfaction” and “benefits” (Khurram, Khurram, Hassan, & Fatima, 2020).

The commitment of the employees is found to be sustained by the “job satisfaction”. Satisfaction is being measured generally through different job aspects (Jules, Ghazali, & Othman, 2017). The job aspects has not been proved as the best measuring paradigms as the importance of these facets differ on basis of employees along with jobs perspectives (Bridges, 2018). Employees experiencing exhaustion and fatigue from work tend to demonstrate low gratification and higher intention to leave work (Rathi & Lee, 2016). Emotional exhaustion was referred as feeling that one feels when drained emotionally through one’s work (Prajogo, 2019). The emotional exhaustion has been regarded to possess a negative impact over the employees as well as organization. It results through high level occupational stress affecting the working of employees, leading towards the outlook of employees as possessing less energy to continue a job (Stater & Stater, 2019).

At present, it has become a severe concern of employees due to the enhancing drainage of the investments made by the organizations in training and recruitment of employees. These drastic levels of employee’s turnover practices have become harmful for competitive race of organizations, particularly financial sectors as banks. Furthermore, the enhancing stability pressure, social support, feeling of misfit for the job among the employees have led towards the increasing burnout rate that in turn results in increasing job shift (Kristanti, Prasetyo, Indiyati & Madiawati, 2021). The main focus of the current study is to understand the association between satisfaction and behavior factors with the employee job changing patterns in the banking sectors of Pakistan.

Objectives

The current research study's major goal is to determine the influence of “job satisfaction” and “emotional exhaustion” over “job hopping” of employees with the mediating role played by “organizational commitment”.

The gaps observed in the past studies are overcome by this research, as mostly of such studies have been conducted in determining the relationship between the “job satisfaction” and “job mobility” in educational sectors (Feng & Angelina, 2010). The outcome of the study will also contribute in addressing the severe emotional and satisfaction issues which led towards the job mobility. The present study is going to facilitate the banking sectors of Pakistan to focus over the human capital emotional exhaustion and satisfaction paradigms that led to job shifting patterns among employees.

Literature Review and Theoretical Background

Job hopping

The job hopping concept was initially elaborated by Ghiselli (1974). Such behavior of job hopping was later termed as “hobo syndrome”. According to this syndrome, the employee has an itch to jump from a job in an organization to some other job in another organization (Larasati & Aryanto, 2020). Job hopping has been evolved by past studies as phenomena pursuing employees to shift organizations instead of being linked to single organization over

long-term basis (Ganco, Ziedonis, Rosemarie, & Agarwal, 2014). Thus, job mobility pattern has been evolved to cause harmful impacts on the organization management along with profitability; causing organizations high level loss of investments being made over job hoppers in terms of trainings and recruitment, leaving no ethical obligation over the job hoppers (Ganco, Ziedonis, Rosemarie, & Agarwal, 2014; Fan & DeVaro, 2020). Different past researches had also highlighted two types of job hopping (Pathak, 2014). However, the past studies have been more focused towards facilitating with the job hopping paradigm as being associated with the personality problems than being linked to the job facets of satisfaction or dissatisfaction (KUMAR, 2018). It has been proposed by past literature that the job hoppers seek other job opportunities available before quitting the jobs (Dobrev & Merluzzi, 2018).

Emotional exhaustion

Emotional exhaustion roots lies within the past studies of 1970s that focused on studying the burnout behavior of individuals. Burnout has been referred by Freudenberger (1974) as, “emotional exhaustion” that is observed to take place due to excessive helping of the people and fulfilling their demands both emotionally as well as psychologically. Moreover, other researchers suggested burnout as the stress syndrome that people in service industries experience the most (Jamal & Siddiqui, 2020). Emotional exhaustion has been characterized through low energy along with chronic level fatigue. The tri-component model of burnout of Maslach and Jackson (1981) is the model being well documented within the past literature that explained emotional exhaustion being an important factor causing employees to experience enervation from work. According to this model, the emotional exhaustion was explained and referred as feeling of one’s being over-extended emotionally (Öngöre, 2020). Past study conducted by Ahmed (2016) proposed that emotional exhaustion has a negative influence over the commitment level of employees. Different theories have explained emotional exhaustion concept, though the most suitable theory has been the Conservative Resource Theory (CRO). According to this theory, an individual perceive emotional exhaustion in result of threat of losing something valuable (Pang et al.,2021).

Emotional exhaustion and Job hopping

The developments of burnout processes have evoked great interest among researches to study this perspective of employee’s behavior in past 20 years (Diestel & Schmidt, 2010). It has been further proposed through past researches that emotional exhaustion occurs due to the stress and has a significant place in the research paradigms because it is associated negatively with different organization outputs. These outputs include the satisfaction, commitment of employees, employee’s propensity of quitting job (Parajogo, 2019; Rubio, Osca, Recio, Urien, & Peiro, 2015) and issues associated with mental health. The job shifting has been further proposed by past study to be associated with the self-efficacy (Dicke, Parker, Holzberger, Kunina-Habenicht, Kunter, & Leutner, 2015). Though, these studies have referred to the varying results, thus, suggesting similar perspective that the emotional exhaustion are being predicted through ones’ own strengths and beliefs, that is, self-efficacy. These evidences from past researches lead towards the positive association of emotional exhaustion with job shift intention of employees, thus, leading towards following hypothesis being proposed.

H1: Emotional Exhaustion has a favorable impact on job-hopping habit

Job Satisfaction

Satisfaction has been referred as the emotion associated state that arises due to the enhanced output that facilitates the sustainability of employees’ expectations in different monetary and non-monetary benefits (Bozeman & Gaughan, 2011; Klassen & Chiu, 2010). The effective response of an employee towards the appointed job is termed as “job satisfaction”. This shows the satisfaction of the employees regarding their needs in the

organization (Yang, Liu, Chen, & Pan, 2014). Different researches have been done in this essence, yet, a uniform paradigm to measure job satisfaction still needs to be extracted due to the varying aspects of job satisfaction (Nelson, Yang, Carte, Monahan & Engineer, 2021; Kosteas, 2011). It has been further commented by past studies that an employee often leaves a poor manager than quitting a job (Lu, Barriball, Zhang, & While, 2012; Thompson & Phua, 2012). It has been further elaborated by past researches that personal attributes comprise of commitment of an employee, self-efficacy, intrinsic and extrinsic motivational factors (Judge, Piccolo, Podsakoff, & Shaw, 2011).

Job Satisfaction and Job Hopping

Job satisfaction has been elaborated to result in decreased job mobility and sustains the employee feelings to remain linked with the job for long term basis (Nzukuma & Bussin, 2011). Thus, satisfaction lead towards the employee performance to remain focused towards productivity and satisfaction than dissatisfaction. Although, because of organizational level affiliation aspects, job satisfaction has been regarded as the hinge over which organizational operations revolve, thus, impacting the employee behavior towards sustaining the job (Bozeman & Gaughan, 2011; Klassen & Chiu, 2010). According to, Chovwen, Balogun, and Olowokere (2014), the intention of “job mobility” of the employees, is significantly affected by the “job satisfaction”. In this research study it has been observed that the employees who were consistent with the job hopping, still show high job mobility due to dissatisfaction with their jobs (Darvishmotevali, Arasli, & Kilic, 2017). Moreover, according to Feng and Angeline (2010), a less significant or negative relationship is observed between “job satisfaction” and the “job hopping behavior” of the appointed employees. However, the studies conducted in the past showed the relationship between “job satisfaction” and the intention of “job quitting” by the employees (Proctor, 2017). Thus, no literature has elaborated the non-significant impact of “job satisfaction” on “job hopping” of the employees directly. So, this lead to more research studies to fulfill the observed gap.

So, the following hypothesis is being projected for testing.

H2: Job satisfaction has a significant negative impact on job hopping.

Organizational Commitment

The past research studies have helped in instilling the concept of “organizational commitment”. This concept was found to be popular from almost about 50 years (Porter, Steers, Mowday, & Boulian, 1974). This concept was hardly accepted by the organizations as well as different managements as many other factors are also found to have an impact on the commitment of the employee towards the organization (Sang, Xia, Ni, Cui, Wang & Wang, 2019). Such determinants are spread widely from each level of the respective organization. Thus the significant effect of the “organizational commitment” is observed (Morrow, 2011). The bond considered to be effected by the “organizational commitment”. Thus the work as well as organization leads to be the identity of the employee (Naz & Gul, 2014). According to O’Riely and Chatman (1986), three main dimensions of the organizational commitment were explained which include: “compliance”, “identification”, and “internalization”. The “three component model” of Meyer and Allen (1991), was mostly used for the presentation of the “organizational commitment”. The dimensions included in this model are: “affective commitment”, “continuance commitment” and “normative commitment”.

The effective “organizational commitment” is considered to be the most important dimension of the above mentioned model. It is considered to be the initial dimension of this model. This dimension helps in elaborating the emotional attachment of the employee with the organization and how this impacts the personal association of the employees (Meyer & Allen, 1991; Meyer, Kam, Gildenberg & Bremner, 2013; Rusu, 2013). The emotional as well as behavioral connection is observed by this dimension.

Relationship of Organizational Commitment with job satisfaction and Emotional Exhaustion

In the past studies, the negative association is observed between emotional exhaustion and organizational commitment (Ahmed, 2016). According to research studies conducted in the past, the employees who have experienced emotional fatigue in work, show lower level of organizational commitment (Rubio, Osca, Recio, Urien, & Peiro, 2015; Lee, Lim, Yang, & Lee, 2011). Job satisfaction is considered to be one of the components of the organizational commitment (Kovach, 1977; Feng & Angeline, 2010). It has been evolved from the past studies that the organizational commitment is significantly impacted by the job satisfaction (Kasemsap, 2017). The employees who are found to be highly satisfied with their jobs, remain loyal to the appointed jobs (Yang, Liu, Chen, & Pan, 2014). The behavioral factors are discovered to have a very important impact on the commitment of the employees towards their jobs. So, job satisfaction being one of such behavioral factors is considered to have a positive impact on the organizational commitment of the employees (Rusu, 2013a; Islam & Rahman, 2016). Thus, many past studies have showed that higher level of “job satisfaction” results in increased “organizational commitment” (Akomolafe & Olatomide, 2013; Akomolafe & Ogunmakin, 2014). However, a few research studies have considered the mediating role of “organizational commitment” between “job satisfaction” and “emotional exhaustion” specifically in the banking sectors, selected for further research.

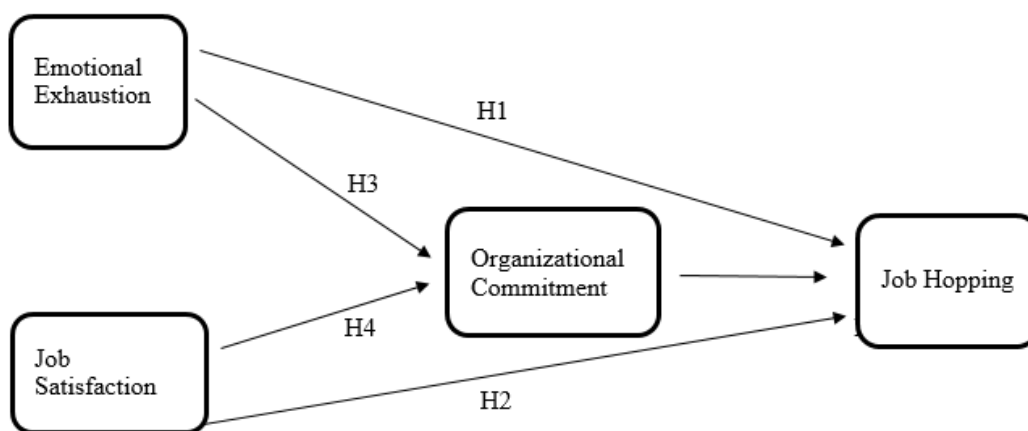
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The organizational commitment also have a positive impact on different factors of the employees related to work. This helps in enhancing the performance of the workers, increasing the morality as well as improving the working culture of the organization, increasing the productivity, loyalty as well as dedication of the employees towards their work and organization (Ng & Feldman, 2011; Yang, Liu, Chen, & Pan, 2014). However, one of the past studies that was conducted in one of the teaching sectors of Malaysia showed the mediating role of the “organizational commitment” with the teachers’ turnover. However, the results observed for job satisfaction varied (Feng & Angeline, 2010). However, no past study have been conducted to determine the mediating role of “organizational commitment” with the behavior of job hopping in different banking sectors. However, the following hypotheses were proposed relatively.

H3: Organizational Commitment (affective) can significantly mediate the relationship between job hopping and emotional exhaustion.

H4: Organizational Commitment (affective) can significantly mediate relationship between job hopping and job satisfaction.

Figure 1: Hypothesized Model



Research Methodology

The quantitative research methodology was adopted leading towards the utilization of positivism research philosophy, deductive research approach, exploratory and descriptive nature of the research study. The questionnaire survey was used to collect the primary data. The data was collected in cross-sectional time span. The respondents were the employees of the private and public banks of Pakistan. The sampling technique of two-stage stratified random sampling was used. Three banks from private bank strata and two major banks of Pakistan from public bank stratum were selected. These banks included private banks, Alfalah Bank, Allied bank and Faysal Bank; though, the public banks included the National Bank of Pakistan and Bank of Punjab.

In the second stage of the stratified sampling, the bank branches from Lahore were selected randomly from each selected bank. There were 44 branches of Alfalah Bank (Pakistan's Bank Association), 50 of Faysal bank and 60 of Allied bank in Lahore (See Appendix B). Out of these, the easily accessible due to the limited time duration and approach limitation were selected. The employees of 10 branches of Alfalah, Allied and Faysal were selected as sample further (See Appendix C). The employees ranged from 10-15 in numbers in every branch. Total 500 questionnaires were distributed, 365 were received including the questionnaires obtained from electronic sources (17 questionnaires), out of which 15 were not filled completely. Thus, the actual sample size utilized for analysis was 350 questionnaires that comprises of 70% of response rate.

Measures

The five point likert scale has been utilized. The questionnaire was divided into two sections, including, demographics and objective questions. The demographic data included: "gender", "age", "education level", "monthly income", "working tenure" and "name of the bank". The objective section comprises of 23 questions regarding emotional exhaustion, job satisfaction, organizational commitment and job hopping. The details are given below.

To measure the "emotional exhaustion", the scale that was developed by Maslach and Jackson (1981) has been utilized originally. This scale comprises of total of 8 items. However, this scale has also been utilized by past studies including; Moore (2000), Lee and Ok (2012),

Skaalvik and Skaalvik (2011) and Feng and Angeline (2010) and reported reliability value greater than 0.7. Furthermore, these studies incorporated emotional exhaustion as behavioral stance, thus 4-items has been adopted from this scale.

Job satisfaction has been measured through incorporation of two scales; one developed by Brayfield and Rothe (1951); the other scale was developed by Hackman and Oldham (1976) and also used by Hofmans, Gieter and Pepermans (2013) and reported reliability value greater than 0.7 .

The organizational commitment has been measured through its subscale dimension of affective commitment. The scale developed by Meyer and Allen (1990) that comprises of 8 items, also utilized in study of Feng and Angelina (2010) and reported reliability value greater than 0.7 has been adopted.

The scale used to measure job hopping was developed by (Khatri, Budhwar , & Fern , 1999) that has also been utilized by past study of Feng and Angeline (2010); Pathak (2014) and reported reliability value greater than 0.7. It comprises of three items.

Results

The obtained findings have been analyzed by using SPSS and the AMOS to obtain the statistical results. The reliability, descriptive tests, Pearson correlation tests were applied on SPSS. On the other hand in order to determine the mediating role as well as to have the path analysis along direct and indirect model effects, structured equation modeling (SEM) and CFA was done using AMOS. The data obtained through 23 item were named and fed in SPSS and AMOS as, JS, AOC, EE, JH_2.

The Table 1 (Appendix A) depicts the frequency distribution regarding the respondents' demographic characteristics. It includes the gender as well as age, monthly income, education, job tenure and bank name.

The SEM model has been used to test the “theoretical framework” of the current research study. The measurements used are scrutinized through using the CFA (Confirmatory factor analysis); secondly the relationships were studied through using the SEM. However, before performing these processes, the reliability as well as normality of the items of the obtained data and measures of the research study have been represented through table 2 and table 3 below.

Table no: 2 represents the skewness, mean as well as standard deviation values of the involved variables. Skewness represents the normality of collected data. The value of skewness should fall under the range of -1 and +1 according to rule of 1 in order to consider the distribution to be normal.

In order to determine the internal reliability of constructs, the Cronbach's alphas along with the factor loadings values have been measured through using SPSS. Thus, as proved by the table no: 3 all the values of the Cronbach's alpha were found to be more than 0.7 as shown in table no: 3. So, all the involved variables are proved to satisfy the reliability issue.

The next step is to determine the convergent along discriminate reliability of scale used. In order to check the validity issues, the three step process proposed by Fornell and Larcker (1981) has been utilized. The first step is that all factor loadings of items of factors should be $>.7$ which has been proved for the present framework as shown in table 3. Second, the composite reliability of variables must be $>.5$. Composite reliability was proposed to be the technique used to determine overall reliability of accrual of heterogeneous yet similar measures (Farrell, 2009). So, the CR measures have been used to verify internal consistency of variables along its dimensions. The C.R values for JS= 0.782, EE= 0.871, JH= 0.782, AOC= 0.876; which are greater than .5 and satisfy the validity of scales as shown in table 4 below. Furthermore, in order to determine discriminate validity Hair et al (2010) proposed that the average variance extracted (AVE) must be more than .5 (minimum level). The measures of

AVE obtained from the results lie among the range of 0.717 to 0.849 that exceed the minimum level of 0.5 and confirm the discriminate validity of present study constructs shown in table 4 below.

After reliability testing of the items, the focus is to measure the convergent along discriminate validity and reliability through relying on CFA (Goodness of fit measurement model).

The “GFI (goodness of fit)” model is the alternative option for “chi square test” used to determine the covariance of targeted population. The model fit that has been used in the present study of SEM and was measured through output of AMOS are shown in table 5. The values as represented above in table 4 satisfy the criteria for best fit for proving the casual relationships as indicated in hypothesis (H1-H4). The table shows the chi square (df) value with p significant values of 25.100(7), $p=.000$ and other fit indices. The values obtained are $RMSEA= 0.086 < 0.6$ and $RMR= 0.102 < 0.8$. Moreover, the values of “goodness of fit index (GFI)” along with “(AGFI)” aggregated goodness of fit index should be >0.9 , which are $0.976 > 0.9$ and $0.929 > 0.9$ (Hu & Bentler, 1995) for the present study. Furthermore, the “Tucker-Lewis co-efficient (TLI)” and “comparative fit index (CFI)” are $0.920 > 0.9$ and $0.963 > 0.9$ for present study. So, these model fit values satisfy all threshold criteria.

The next step in analysis involves the running of SEM process through AMOS. This was ensured through drawing of structural equation modeling. Table 6 represents the standardized regression weights along with standard error values and significance of the involved variables. The results prove that the emotional exhaustion (EE) has positive impact on job hopping (JH_2) with values (Standardized $\beta = 0.610$, $S.E = 0.048$, $P < 0.001$) that supports hypothesis H1. This proves that emotional exhaustion lead towards 61% enhancement of job hopping behavior. Job satisfaction (JS) has a negative influence on job hopping (JH_2) with values (Standardized $\beta = -0.235$, $S.E = 0.85$, $P < 0.001$) that proves hypothesis H2 to be true and further proves that job satisfaction decreases job hopping by 23.5%. Furthermore, significant positive impact of emotional exhaustion on “job hopping” through mediating role of organizational commitment (affective) AOC with values (Standardized $\beta = -0.259$, $S.E = 0.34$, $P < 0.001$) supports the hypothesis H3. The negative sign indicates that the emotional exhaustion lead towards 25% reduction in organizational commitment (affective). Fourth hypothesis (H4) entailed in present study has been found to possess significant positive impact with (Standardized $\beta = 0.398$, $S.E = 0.058$, $P < 0.001$) which proves that high JS leads to higher AOC by 39%. AOC was positively linked with JH_2 with values (Standardized $\beta = -0.118$, $S.E = 0.072$, $P < 0.01$). Thus, it proves that organizational commitment (affective) will reduce job hopping by 11%.

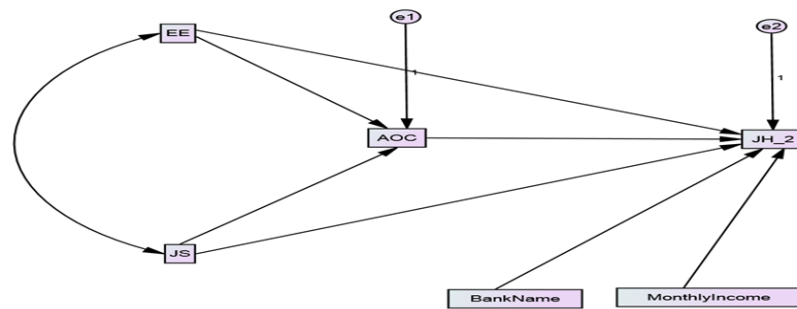


Figure 2: Structural model

The next step in the analysis is to determine the mediation relationship hypothesis. The table 7 result proves that AOC partially mediates the relationship among EE and JH through satisfying the direct and indirect paths as shown. This is proved through significant impact of EE on AOC (independent on mediator) values of ($\beta = -.259, p < .001$); EE on JH (independent on dependent) with values ($\beta = .610, p < .001$); AOC on JH (mediator on dependent) with values ($\beta = -.118, p < .001$) and EE shows significant impact on JH through mediator AOC (indirect effect) with values ($\beta = -.031, p < .01$). The negative sign indicates the negative relation. Similarly the JS shows significant impact on JH through mediator AOC (indirect effect) with values ($\beta = .047, p < .01$).

Moreover, the bootstrapping process of 2000 samples was utilized to get a clear image of the indirect effect of study constructs over each other. The results of bootstrap (table 6 shown through the p significance value further supports the hypothesis H3 and H4 determining that the organizational commitment plays the mediating role in the relationship between “job satisfaction” and “job hopping”; and emotional exhaustion and job hopping. Partial mediation exists as both direct and indirect effects have been proved to be significant.

Discussion and Conclusion

The current research study has been focused towards indicating thin impact through direct along indirect effects of organizational commitment of employees. The results of present study are according to the researches expectations and also in accordance to the past studies of job hopping (Bozeman & Gaughan, 2011; Feng & Angeline, 2010). Moreover, the present study expected the positive association of “job satisfaction” as well as “organizational commitment”. The results of present study conducted on employees of banking sector of Pakistan supported the hypothesized association through confirming that an employee possessing higher “job satisfaction” leads to higher commitment towards his/her organization. Satisfaction and commitment are indicated as behavioral aspects that support one another as proposed by past. Thus, the findings of the present study have replicated the findings of the past studies (Rusu, 2013a; Islam & Rahman, 2016). Furthermore, researches also aimed towards identification of the effect of “emotional exhaustion” on “job hopping” behavior of employees. In summary, the present study results facilitates with vigorous evidences that higher “job satisfaction” and lower “emotional exhaustion” results in lower job hopping behavior of employees. Job hopping has been concluded as a phenomena incorporating different aspects as the reaction towards the unbalanced environment, personality issues, need for better living, turnover culture reaction of due to fun aspects.

Despite of all the fruitful contributions being made by the present study both on theoretical and practical aspects, certain limitations in terms of the sampled data and generalizability of research exists. The present study is questionnaire survey based study that

had been ensured within limited time span. Moreover, the external validity associated with cross-sectional studies is limited than experimental studies.

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APPENDIX A

Table 1: Demographic Characteristics of Sample (N=350)

Demographic Measures	F	%
Gen Gender Female	164	46.9
Male	186	53.1
Age		
20-24 Years	8	2.3
25-29 Years	113	32.3
30-34 Years	117	33.4
35-39 Years	78	22.3
40 Years & Above	34	9.7
Monthly Income		
Rs. 15000-25000	38	10.9
Rs. 26000-35000	78	22.3
Rs. 36000-45000	181	51.7
Rs. 46000 or above	53	15.1
E Education		
Graduation	244	69.7
Masters or Ph. D.	106	30.3
Job		
T Tenure		
1-3 Years	57	16.3
4-8 Years	212	60.6
9-13 Years or above	81	23.1
Ba Bank Name		
Alfalah Bank	70	20.0
Allied Bank	70	20.0
Faysal Bank	70	20.0
Bank of Punjab	70	20.0
N National Bank of Pakistan	70	20.0

Table 2: Descriptive and Skewness for Job Satisfaction, Affective Organizational Commitment, Emotional Exhaustion and Job Hopping

Descriptive Statistics					
Variables	N	Mean Statistic	Std. Deviation Statistic	Skewness Statistic	Std. Error
JS	350	3.2468	.87043	-.552	.130
AOC	350	3.2014	.99522	-.389	.130
EE	350	2.5879	.44309	.616	.130

JH_2	350	3.0314	.56509	-.131	.130
Valid N (listwise)	350				

Table 3: Cronbach's alpha

Variables	No. of Items	Cr Alpha α	Cronbach's	Factor loadings
Job Hopping	3		0.954	0.840, 0.740, 0.793
Emotional Exhaustion	4	0.965		0.878, 0.849, 0.831, 0.881
Job Satisfaction	8	0.819		0.874, 0.854, 0.743, 0.708, 0.862, 0.799, 0.811, 0.872
Organizational Commitment	8	0.887		0.873, 0.844, 0.874, 0.833, 0.810, 0.845, 0.775, 0.562

Table 4: Psychometric Properties

	CR	AVE	EE	JS	OC	JH
EE	0.871	0.849	0.743			
JS	0.782	0.717	-0.641	0.897		
OC	0.876	0.775	-0.611	0.745	0.880	
JH	0.843	0.847	-0.721	-0.791	-0.794	0.720

Table 5: Model fit Indices

Fit Indices	χ^2 (df)	p-value	GFI	AGFI	TLI	CFI	RMSEA	RMR
Value	25.100	.000	0.976	0.929	0.920	0.963	0.086	0.102
Suggested value		<.05	>.9	>.90	>.90	>.90	<.07 or <.10	<.7

Table 6: Path Analysis Obtained from Structured Equation Modeling

Relationships	Standardized β	S.E	P
AOC <--- EE	-.259	.034	***
AOC <--- JS	.398	.058	***
JH_2 <--- EE	.610	.048	***
JH_2 <--- JS	-.235	.085	***
JH_2 <--- AOC	-.118	.072	**

Note: * = p < 0.05, ** = p < 0.01, *** = P < 0.001

Table 7: Direct and Indirect Effect

Relationships	Standardized Direct Effect	Standardized Indirect Effect
EE → AOC	-.259***	.000
JS → AOC	.398***	.000
EE → JH_2	.610***	-.031**
JS → JH_2	-.235***	.047**
AOC → JH_2	-.118**	.000

Note: * = $p < 0.05$, ** = $p < 0.01$, *** = $P < 0.001$