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- 5) Mr. Muhammad Umer has eleven years of National and International experience in Engineering Management, Project Management, Supply Chain and Logistics. Despite being an Engineer he has been extensively involved in key areas like; Procurement of Project Material, Inventory control, Rate contract Finalization, Vendor Development/ Sourcing, ERP/BPR, Use of IT in Supply Chain Optimization, Systems Optimization and Manufacturing Systems design with Multinational giants like Eurocopter, Bell Helicopters, Textron Lycoming, Rolls Royce. He completed his Masters in "Engineering Management" from C.A.S.E, in 2006. As a Technology Enthusiast, he also has a "Certificate in Nanotechnology" (2006-2007) from "Stanford University". He is currently a PhD Candidate at N.U.S.T at SMME (School of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering) in which he is researching in possible Neural Network Augmentation of an optimization algorithm known as 'Ant Colony Optimization". Since his return in 2009, he has contributed to Pakistan's Academia and Industry in various capacities. His consultancy in Pakistan encompasses Corporate Trainings all over the country in areas of Supply Chain (both basic and advanced versions) to the participants from Pharmaceutical Industry, Glass Fabrication Industry, Pakistan Air Force, Pakistan Army, KRL, Logistics Service Providers, KSB Pumps, Shifa Hospital, Textile Industry, Academia etc.... Moreover, recently he has also been nominated by Harvard University as their "External Proctor" for distance learning students for the Asian Region. For MEM and MM Students: Other than teaching, Mr Umer will also be supervising thesis of MM and MEM. I request students of MM and MEM to please consult him for new research opportunities.
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