

# GRID Heritage: roundtable

Heritage objects, ancestral place and family history

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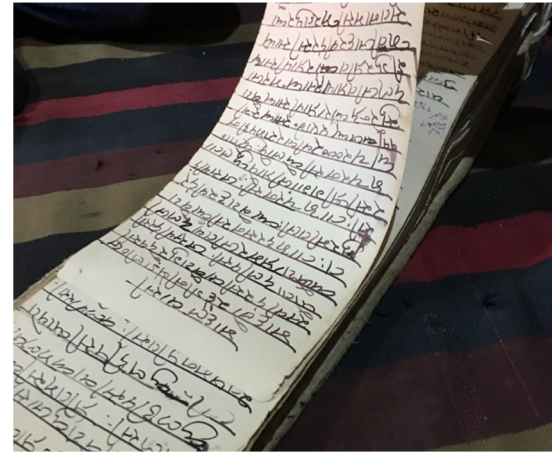


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Using Royal Geographical Society (with Institute of British Geographers) collections to explore family history and place

Materiality and memory – constructing family history through personal family objects and stories

Family archives contributing to physical and digital community – led archives





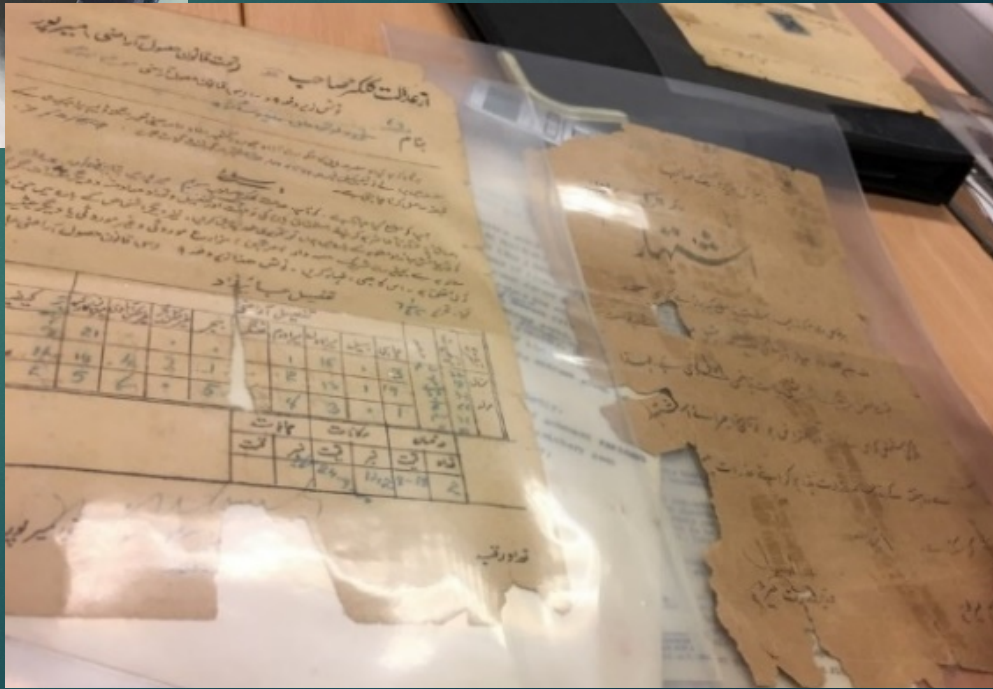
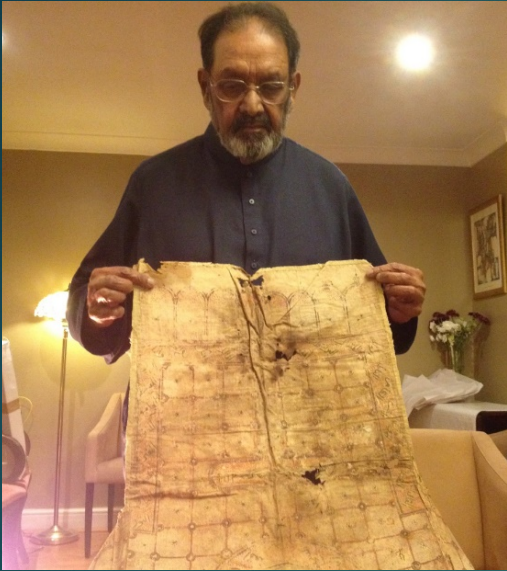
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Workshops at community centre & Royal Geographical Society (with IBG)

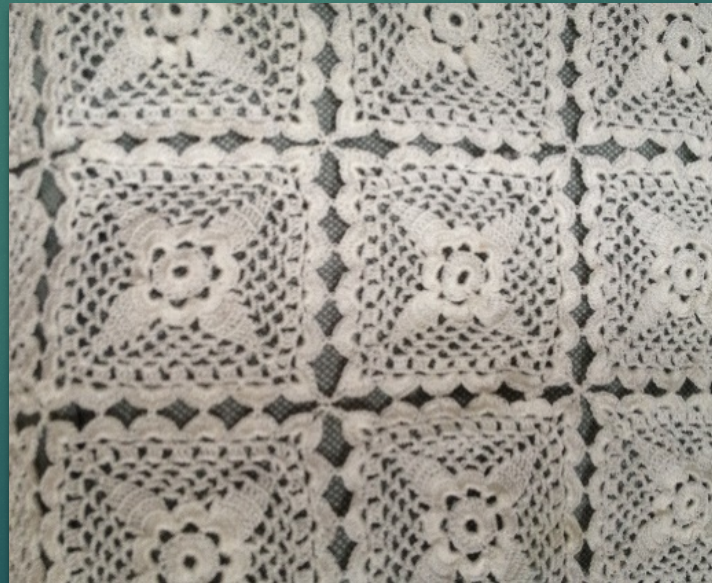


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"I made some of those as well, bhestrow [bedspreads] and tharow [throws]. Friends used to come and we would sit together in the peda [courtyard in centre of the house], we'd sit and sew and make things. They used to get all the strings ready, and get them all lined up, and they had to tie all the ends up, and get it all ready to weave the dhurries". Kuldeep, 2017



# Digital collecting projects

- ▶ Indian Memory Project – founder Anusha Yadav
- ▶ Empire War and Faith mapping the ancestral place of Punjabi soldiers – UK Punjab Heritage Society

Thank you

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