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**Upholding Rights in the Prophet's Seerah (PBUH)
and the Demands of the Contemporary Era**

**Intellectual Foundations, Practical Applications,
and Civilizational Development**

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Introduction

The Seerah of the Prophet Hazrat Muhammad (PBUH) forms the true foundation for understanding Islam and serves as the guiding light for the intellectual, practical, and spiritual reform of the Ummah. Today's society faces serious challenges such as intellectual confusion, negligence in fulfilling rights, and the reckless use of natural resources. Undoubtedly, the real solution to these challenges can only be achieved by shaping our lives according to the noble Prophetic Seerah and making it the central axis for building society.

In pursuit of these objectives, and on the occasion of fifteen centuries since the birth of the Noble Prophet (PBUH), and the completion of one hundred years of academic journey of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, the Seerat Chair of the University is organizing a grand three-days International Conference on the theme:

“Upholding Rights in the Prophet’s Seerah (PBUH) and the Demands of the Contemporary Era: Intellectual Foundations, Practical Applications, and Civilizational Development.”

This prestigious International Seerah Conference invites all scholars, researchers, and Ulama from Madaris Deeniah to contribute their scholarly papers on the Prophetic Seerah, in order to highlight this invaluable heritage of the Ummah. This conference will prove to be a landmark in understanding and disseminating the Seerah, and will play a significant role in the intellectual and practical advancement of the Muslim Ummah.

First Theme: Rights of Allah in the Light of the Prophet’s Seerah (PBUH)

1. Oneness of Allah (Tawhid) and its impact on the individual and society
2. Cultivation of faith and inner certainty (īmān and yaqīn)
3. The true essence of servitude to Allah and its social effects
4. The intellectual and practical role of intention and sincerity
5. Social impacts of Prayer, Fasting, Zakah and Hajj
6. Inner and outward impacts of heart-based acts of worship (such as sincerity, remembrance, trust in Allah)
7. Striving, self-restraint, and abstaining from prohibitions

Second Theme: Rights of People in the Light of the Prophet’s Seerah (PBUH)

1. Rights of the Noble Prophet ﷺ
2. Rights of the Companions and the noble Ahl al-Bayt (رضي الله تعالى عنهم)
3. Justice, legitimate freedom, education, and preservation of human dignity
4. Brotherhood, tolerance, patience, and practical cooperation
5. Family rights: husband, wife, parents, children, and relatives
6. Rights of women as outlined in the Prophetic Seerah both individual and collective
7. Rights of neighbors, minorities, and weaker segments of society
8. Mutual duties and obligations between ruler and subjects
9. Justice and honesty in treaties and transactions

Third Theme: Rights of the Universe in the Light of the Prophet’s Seerah (PBUH)

1. The universe as an amānah and Ayat pointing to the Creator
2. The interrelationship between the universe, humanity, and Fitrah
3. Care and compassion towards animals and plants
4. Benefiting from natural resources while preserving them
5. Development of the earth and the Islamic concept of Istikhlāf
6. Sustainable development in harmony with Islamic values and the natural environment
7. Prophetic guidance in addressing contemporary environmental challenges
8. Environmental ethics in times of peace and war

Terms & Conditions about Article submission

- The manuscripts must be in accordance with the topics of the conference.
- The manuscripts must be written according to the HEC Anti Plagiarism Policy.
- The manuscripts must follow the general rules of research & should be free from all sorts of errors.
- The manuscripts must not be submitted to any other conference or research journal.
- The Quranic verses & the Ahadith must be cited along with the original text.
- The Chicago 16th footnote style must be adopted for citation.
- The manuscript must have an abstract of about 300 words.
- The manuscript must be composed in M.S word.
- The manuscript should be 15-20 pages long.
- The manuscript must be prepared on A4 size with 1 margin on all sides. Font for Urdu should be Jameel Nori Nastaleeq, for English Times New Roman & for Arabic Traditional Arabic.
- The manuscript must be submitted in both hard & soft copy.
- The submitted manuscript will be evaluated through the Blind Peer Review process. The decision to accept or reject a manuscript rest solely with the conference committee.

The top ten national-level articles will have their registration fees refunded and will also receive an honorarium.

- If the paper is not received by the due date, the abstract will be considered invalid

Deadlines for Abstract & Article Submission

Abstract Submission: 15 November, 2025 **Abstract Acceptance:** 24 November, 2025

Paper Submission: 29 December, 2025 **Conference Dates:** 02-04 February, 2026

Venue: Khawja Gulam Fareed Auditorium, Baghdad-ul-Jadeed campus, IUB

Registration Fee: Without Accommodation: Rs. 3000/- With Accommodation: Rs. 5000/-

International Participants: US 50\$

Languages: Urdu | Arabic | English

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